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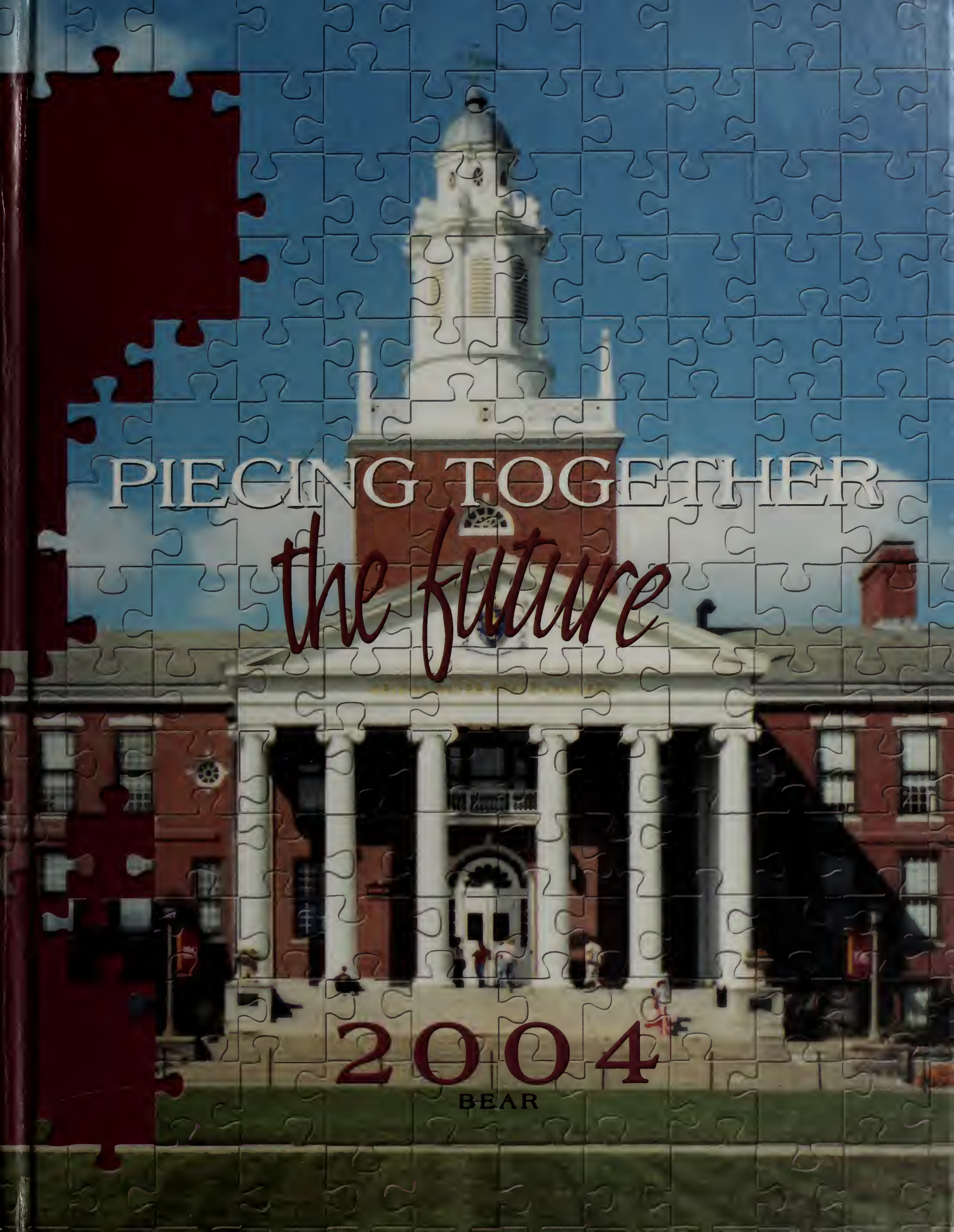
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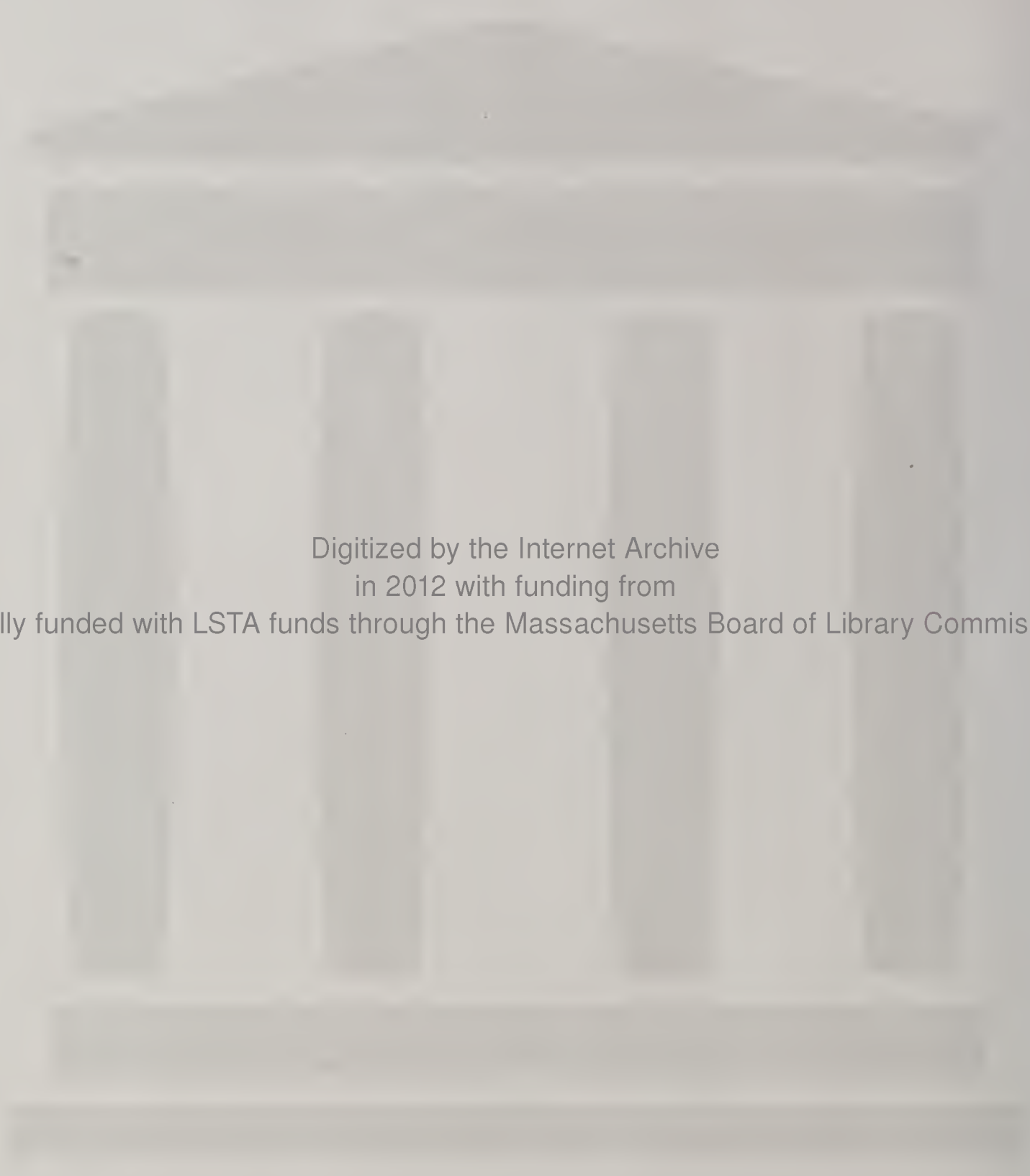


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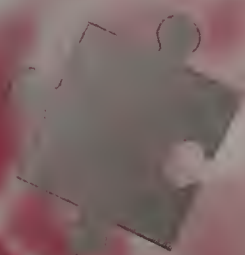
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Piecing Together The Future

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The grounds in front of Boyden Hall are always a sight to see.



Many events, including all student plays and dance recitals, are held in the Campus Center Auditorium.



DiNardo Hall is one of many residence halls on campus.

The tree lined path in front of Boyden Hall is one of many scenic passages around campus.



BSC • Campus Life



Briston, the college mascot, stands guard in front of Kelly Gymnasium before being damaged and removed from his long time post.

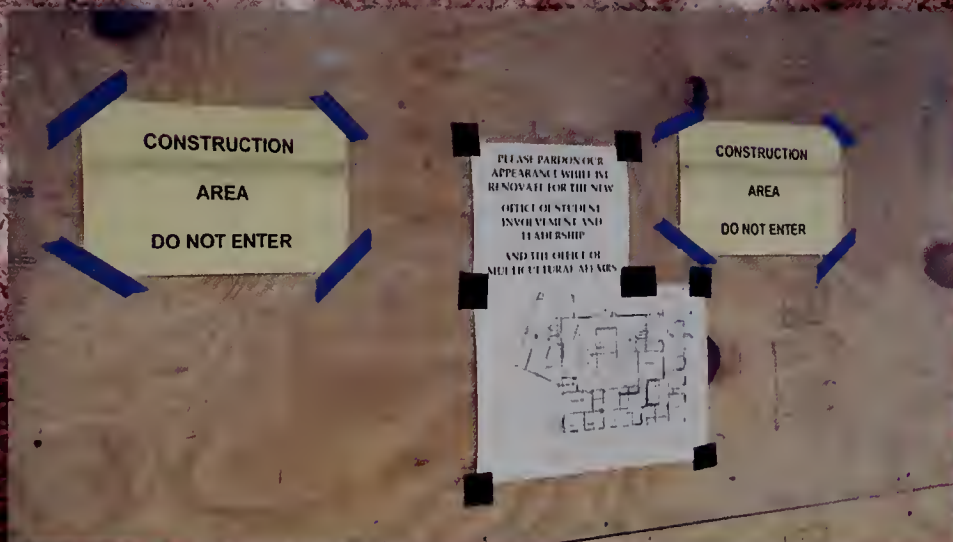
This view of the Conant Science Building was photographed from the Campus Center



Tillinghast Hall houses one of the three cafeterias on campus as well as faculty offices.



The Program Committee advertises for one of the many events held on campus.

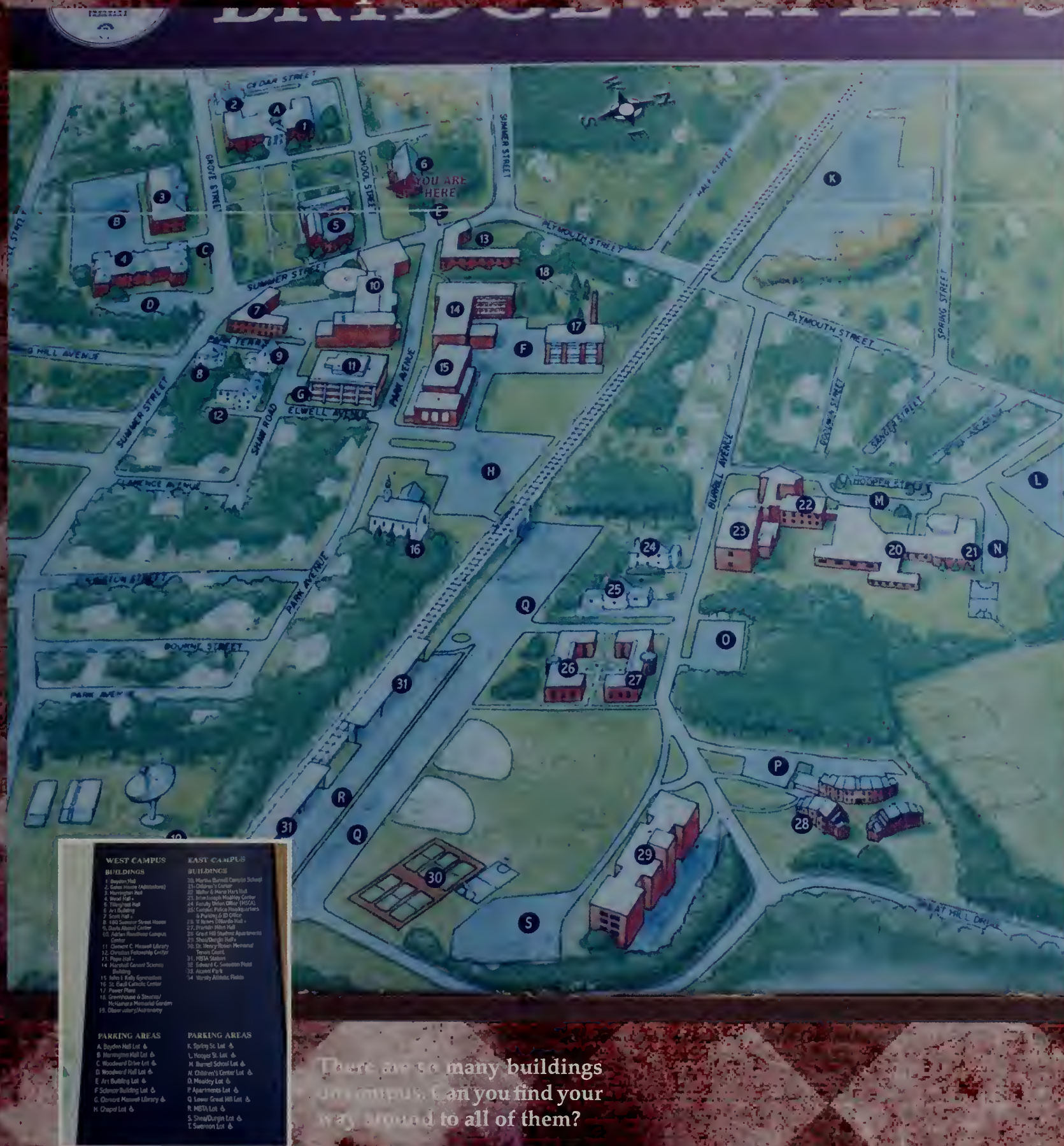


Over the summer, construction started on the new Office of Student Involvement and Leadership as well as the Office of Multicultural Affairs. The staff moved into their new quarters in the fall.

The college proudly displays the American flag.



BSC Campus Life



There are so many buildings on campus. Can you find your way around to all of them?

Can you guess whose feet these are? Yes, they're Bristaco's before the mascot was damaged.



Boyden Hall has many classrooms and the President's office. On many nights, you can see President Mohler-Faria working late.



Parking is always an issue at BSC. These signs do not help the situation.



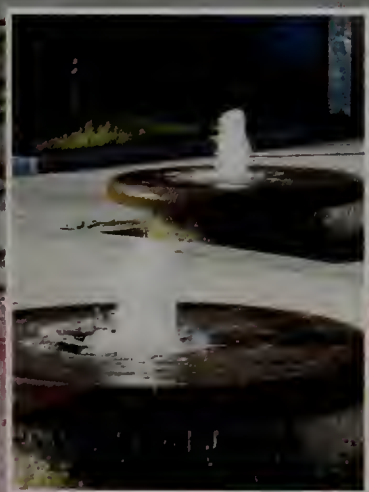
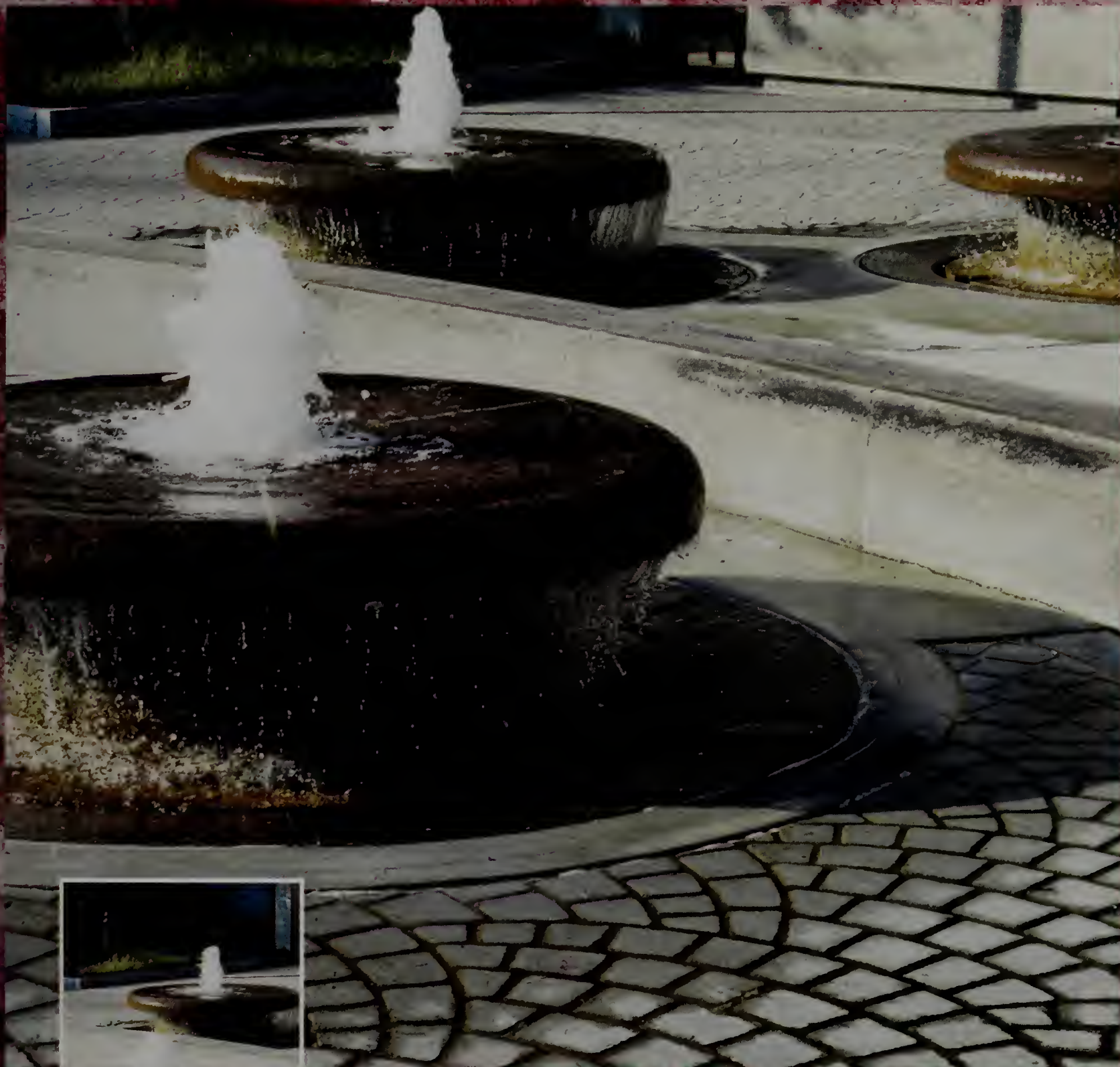
We have beautiful landscape all around campus. This tree being Scott Hall provides shade on summer days.

The west side of campus has a basketball court for student recreation.



BSC

Campus Life



On warmer nights, students like to run their hands through the water to cool off.

There is a building behind all those trees, and it's Pope Hall.



Boyden Hall, with its large columns, is photographed often.

The windows invite all to see the entire front hall of the Campus Center Auditorium where many plays and dances are held.



The Adrian Rondileau Campus Center houses the Office of Student Involvement and Leadership as well as the Commuter Cafe.

The new crosswalk, painted last summer, helps some of the resident parking problems.



A Letter from the President

Dear friends,

I was very excited to learn that our students had selected the theme of “Piecing Together the Future” for the 2004 yearbook. Throughout my long career in higher education, I have always maintained that the college learning experience should be one that helps students to not only find value in one another as human beings, but to appreciate the many gifts and responsibilities that come with living in a free society.

As Bridgewater State College’s president, I am very proud of all of our students for their enduring commitment to community service, their participation in student government, their contribution to a vibrant campus life, their athletic prowess and sense of sportsmanship, and their many artistic and cultural expressions. What’s even more inspiring to me personally is that our students dedicate themselves to these endeavors while never losing sight of their studies and their families.

This yearbook chronicles the life of the senior class from opening day to graduation. Contained in the words and pictures on the pages that follow is the story of a group of individuals who have come together and remained focused on their mission of growing into a new generation of leaders. I am very confident that BSC has prepared them exceptionally well for the world of the 21st century.

Many years from now, when these same students are looking back on their long careers and the unique contributions they’ve made to our world, I can only hope that they’ll remember Bridgewater State College as the place in which they first “pieced together” that bright future.

Sincerely,

Dana Mohler-Faria
President



STUDENT LIFE

On any given day, students are playing basketball next to the tennis courts.





Students coming back for more education still get involved on campus.

Whenever there is an outside event, WBIM is our music source.



Playing Frisbee barefoot is what this student likes doing best.

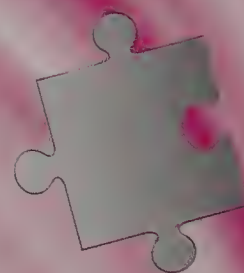


Adam Farina rolls up some cotton candy for the next customer.

The Comment editor, Jennifer Cunningham, is all smiles while trying to draft writers for the newspaper.

STUDENT LIFE

Eager for their next class to start, these students wait outside Harrington Hall.



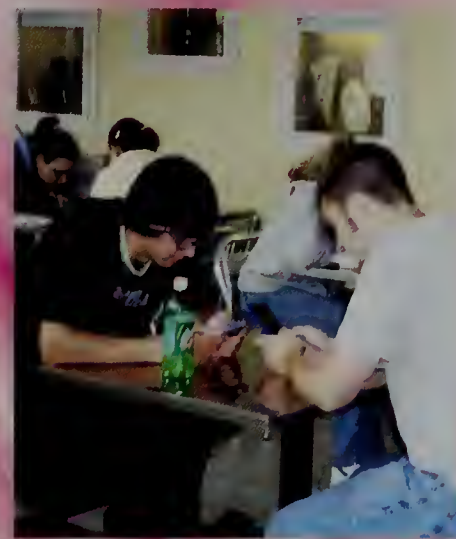


An old pastime, Hacky Sack, is still played around campus.

Everyone is all smiles at the Homecoming football game.



Trying to figure out the last question to their take-home math exam, these students look to their calculators for help.



Gamma Phi Beta girls are all about school spirit.

Jen Nickerson and Kristy Myers smile as their Theta Phi Alpha sister is named Homecoming Queen.

STUDENT LIFE

All dressed up, and nowhere for this
Club to go!





These girls are ready to join in the parade around town!

And who might this fine gentleman be?



Taking a trip around campus, this Cat in the Hat has an easy job!



All dressed up and nowhere to go, what are this mermaid and fish to do?

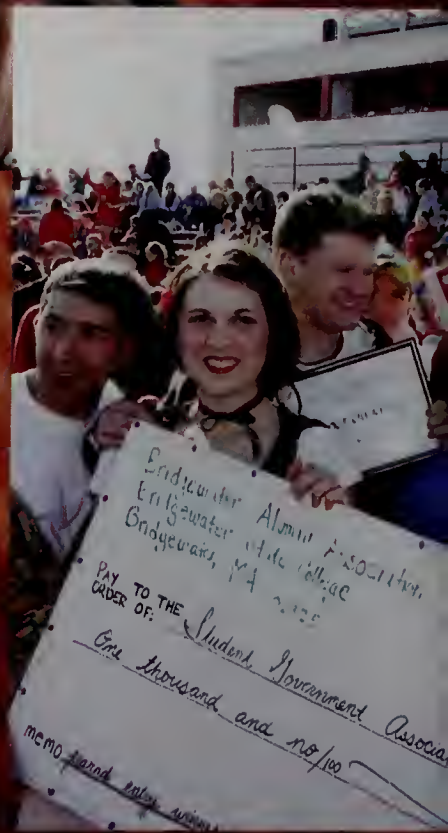
This group gets together for one last pep talk.

Special Moments





Special Moments





Convocation

The Convocation ceremony is the first ritual symbolizing the seniors' final year. Students were challenged to seize their opportunities from everyday sources by speaker Suzanne Condon. '79. Ms. Condon also said how the simple process of writing a term paper offered powerful training for life after graduation. "The skill sets required in this particular scenario are risk assessment, risk communication and consequence management," which all apply to her daily job in reviewing public health issues related to environmental pollution.

Following Ms. Condon's speech, Student Trustee Tony Alcaralo, '04, told her fellow students to hold on to the good times at Bridgewater State College and use them as a stepping stone for the future. He also said, "It's great to be so close to the finish line, but make sure you take advantage of the few precious months we have left here."

The Chairman of the Board of Trustees, David B. Jenkins, spoke about receiving a diploma, saying, "it's not a membership card to a better lifestyle, but rather an expression of your commitment to take an active role as a thinking member of society."

Finally, President Dana Mohler-Faria concluded the ceremony with "the only thing we ask is that when you arrive at the place you want to be, you take a second look back at how you got there. You'll undoubtedly see many different stepping stones representing the various waypoints of your journey. We hope that ours - the time you spent at Bridgewater - is one that figures prominently in your moment of reflection."



September 17, 2003

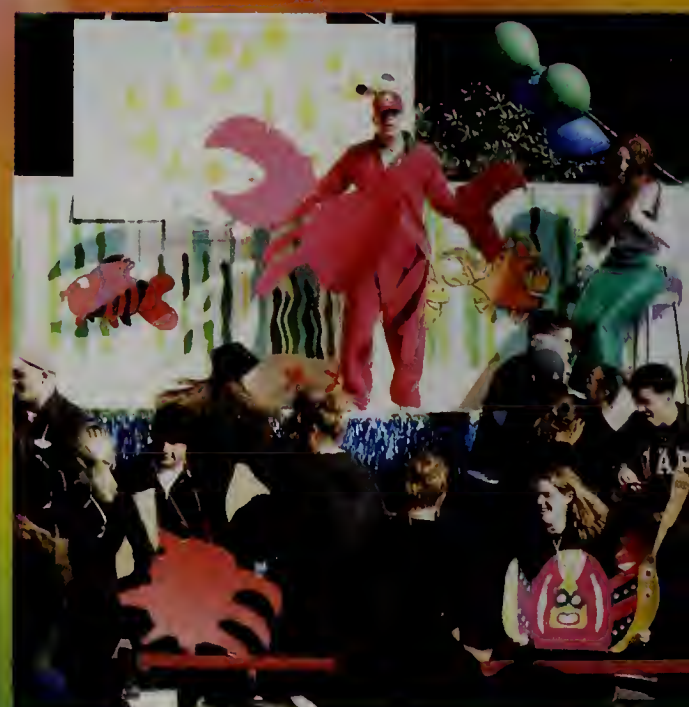
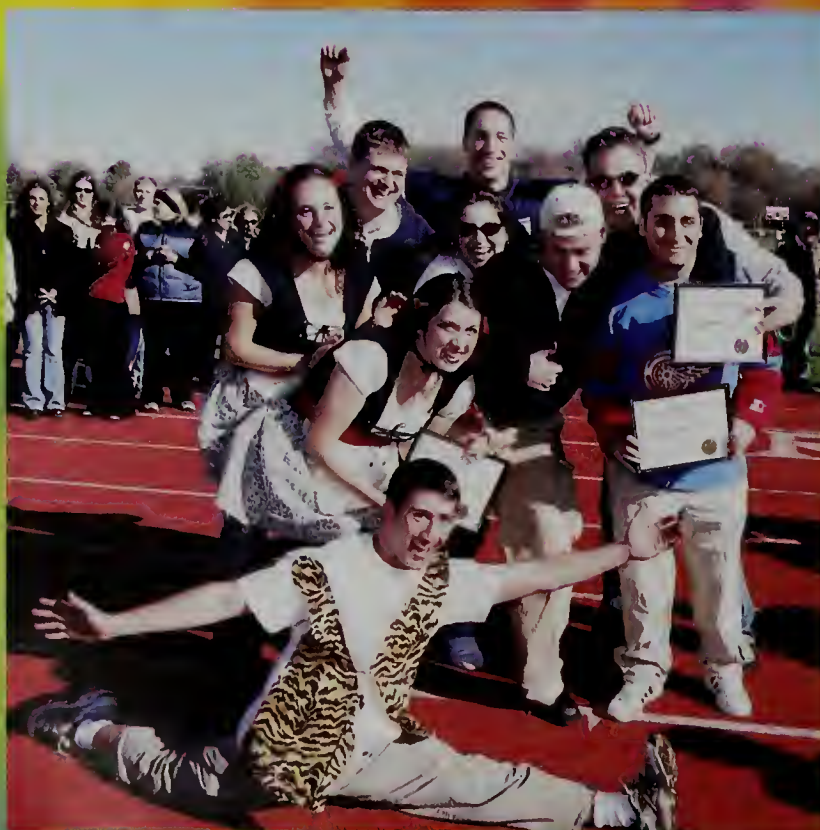


Homecoming

The Homecoming King and Queen get crowned during halftime of the football game.



The SGA gets an award for its float. Look at SGA Treasurer Pete Castonguay do a split!



October 25, 2003



The Cat in the Hat comes to BSC!



Gamma Phi Beta cheers the BSC Bears onto victory!



Homecoming

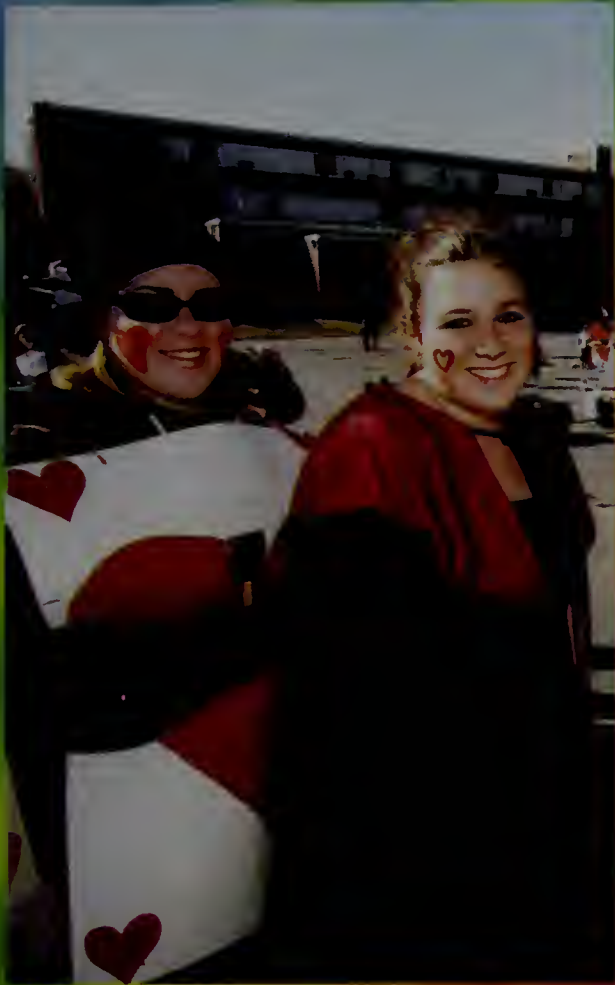
Who's got SPIRIT?
RHC does!!



Future students
of BSC start
off the parade
with Bristaco.



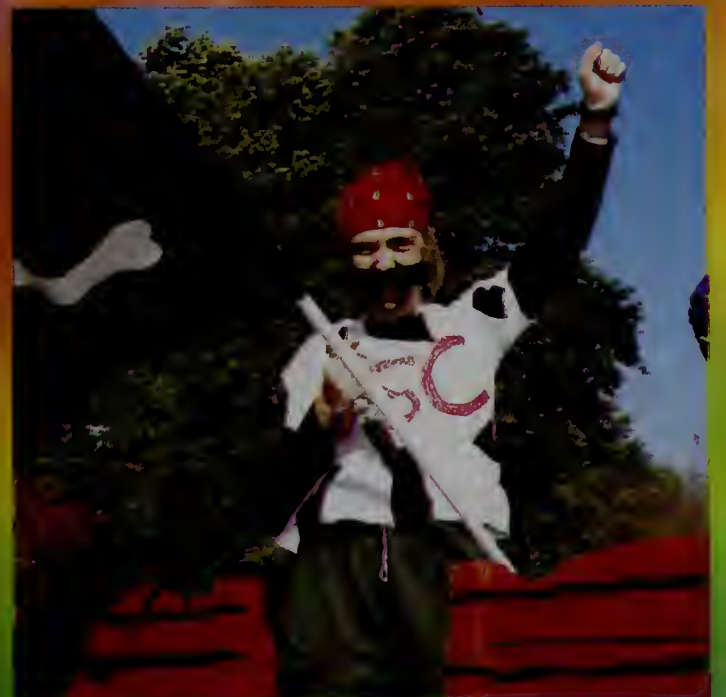
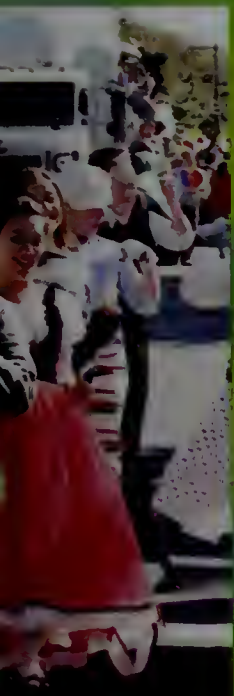
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Theta Phi Alpha gets ready for the parade to start!



The SGA float is one that everyone will talk about for many years to come.



Winter Commencement

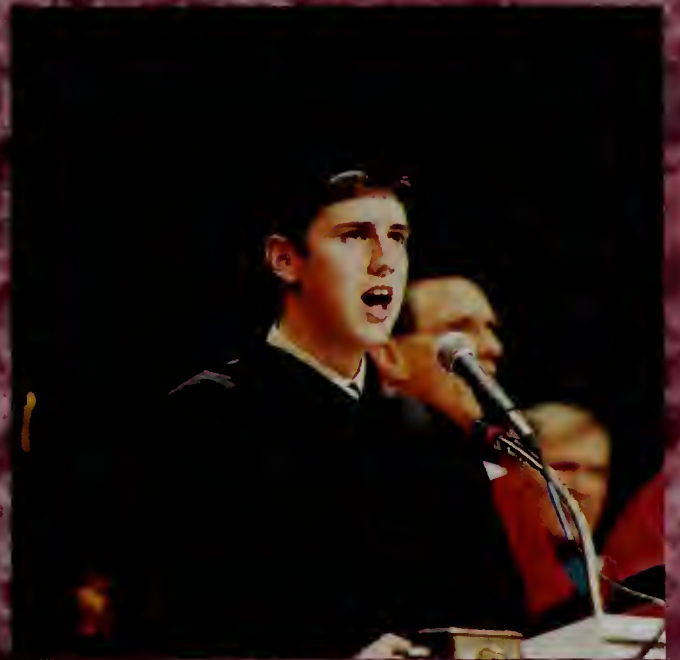
More than 500 undergraduate and graduate degrees were awarded at the 18th annual Winter Commencement exercises, held January 30th, in the Adrian Rondileau Campus Center Auditorium. The keynote speaker, BSC alumnus Dr. David A. Sousa, '60, described how the college prepared him for a career studying the human brain at work and its implications for the teaching profession. He also expressed how his graduation from BSC was especially meaningful, because he was the first from his family to attend college. He also shared some memories of BSC, including his assignment to drive Dean Ellen Shea's car to pick up poet Robert Frost in Cambridge and bring him to campus for a convocation speech. Dr. Sousa concluded his speech by asking the first-generation college graduates to stand for applause. "Here's the most important thing Bridgewater taught me. Where you come from is not as important as where you're going, and although I deeply appreciate the honors that Bridgewater has given to me, the honors are really for those whom I represent."

President Dana Mohler-Faria told the graduates they were entering a world that holds potential for magnificence but is increasingly marred by danger and deceit. "But don't despair. The only way to overcome the challenges of our world is to keep pushing back the walls of that comfort zone. Don't let them collapse on you by remaining motionless in the center of your own universe. Be quick to engage with people who are not like you. Participate in activities that are unfamiliar. Take the risk of approaching your environment in an entirely new way. Seize the opportunity to understand alternative ways of thinking. Get to really know your fellow man. And realize that the power of change lies in your hands."

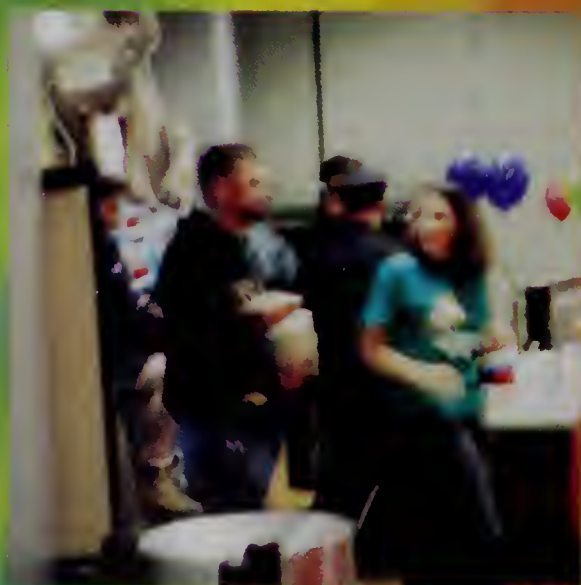
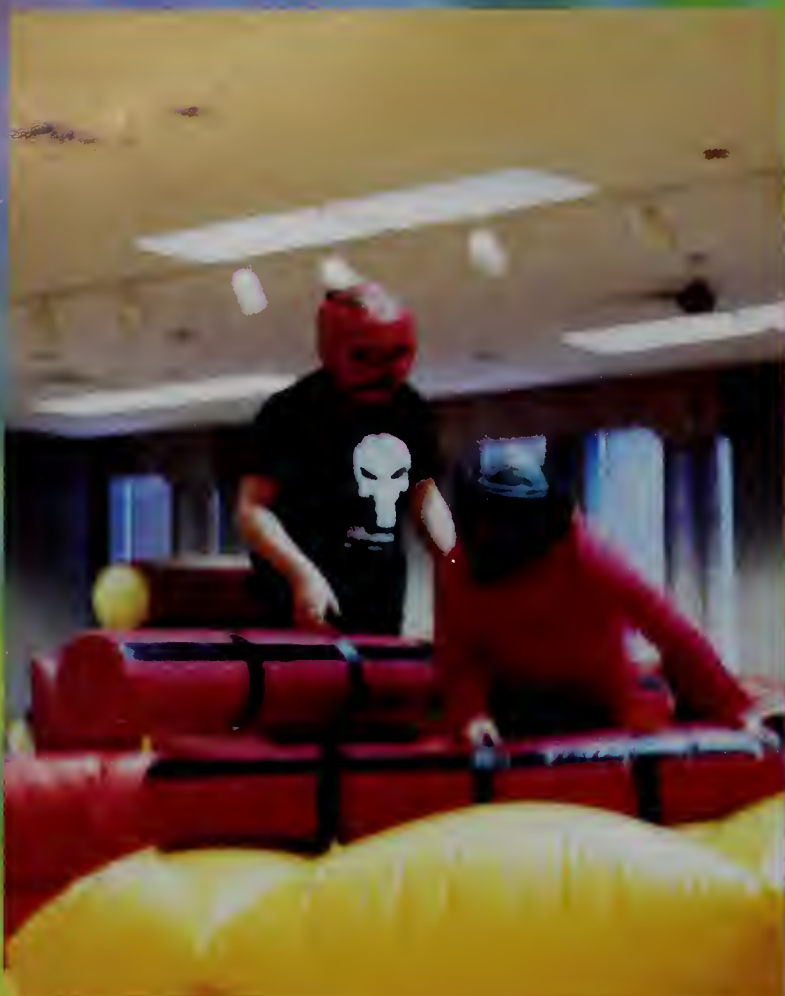
Ms. Katherine Bolcome was the chosen student speaker, and she discussed her experiences at BSC. "Together we scraped snow off our cars using cookie sheets and dust pans in last year's and this year's blizzards, lit candles in memory of our beloved mascot, Bristaco, and came together to share screams of 'Cowboy Up.' At the same time, we survived the tragedies of September 11 together, mourned the deaths of close friends, and came to terms with defining moments as we realized the injustices of this world. And when you think you've reached difficult times, make yet another choice, the most important choice: to take the better way."



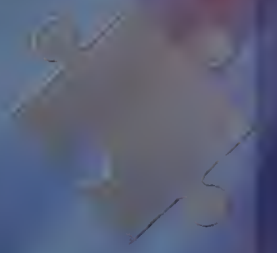
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Springfest



April 24, 2004



Spring Commencement

Cloudy skies and cool temperatures did not dampen the spirits of the more than 960 graduates at Bridgewater State College's 163rd Spring Commencement ceremonies held Saturday, May 22. The graduates, who hail from 186 communities in Massachusetts and nine states, were congratulated on their success by administrators, faculty, friends and family. The theme that resonated throughout the ceremony was creating a 'commitment to community.'

Dr. Dana Mohler-Faria, president of Bridgewater State College, addressed the graduates with his "Tale of Two Students," which looked at the very different life experiences of two students and the common thread they have come share as Bridgewater State College graduates. He reminded the graduates the important role education plays in a meaningful society. "On a spot not far from where I stand today, Horace Mann, the founder of this college once said 'Education, beyond all other devices of human organization, is the great equalizer of the conditions of men'."

The theme of 'commitment to community' continued in the keynote address given by Dr. Sonia Nieto, a professor of education at the University of Massachusetts Amherst and a teacher for 35 years, who told graduates to "love beyond your own four walls."

"I believe we're burdened in this day and age with a dreadful focus on "me-ism," a focus that's self defeating and that may ultimately rob our society of its sense of community," said Dr. Nieto. "Love, in its more honorable and unselfish sense, means loving not only ourselves and our families, but also our neighbors, our environment, our nation and our world—to help make them the best they can be."

Mr. Admar Semedo of Brockton, in his student address, encouraged graduates to make a positive difference in the lives of others.

"Each one of us has our own vision of what the world and especially our society should look like, but few of us have the resolve to do something about it. The change you wish to see can only happen if you take the initiative to make that change yourself," said Mr. Semedo. "I urge you to go into the world and do your full duty as a productive citizen of our democracy. If you uphold your obligation to society by voting ... by committing yourself to public service ... and by improving your community ... your duty to society will be fulfilled."



May 22, 2004



Seniors





GOOD LUCK
GRADUATES





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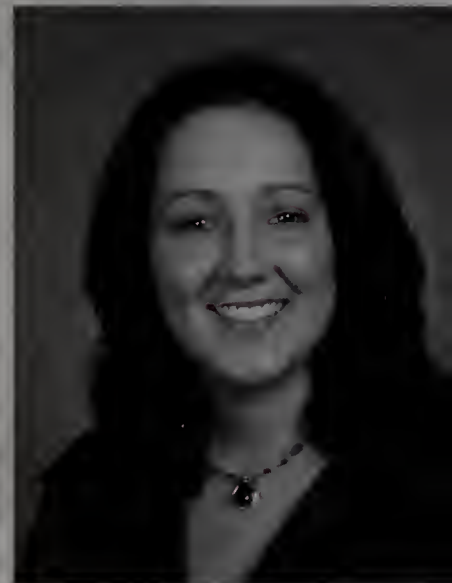
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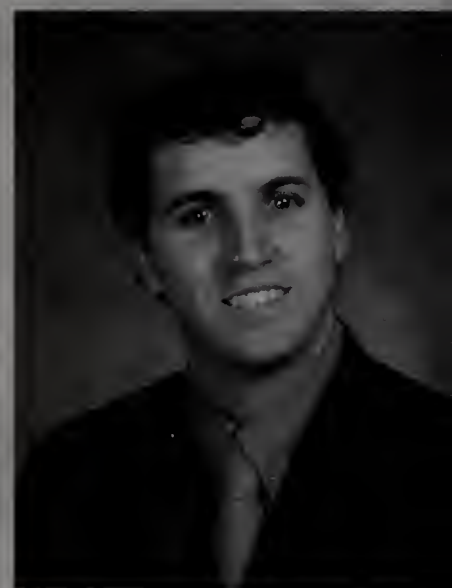
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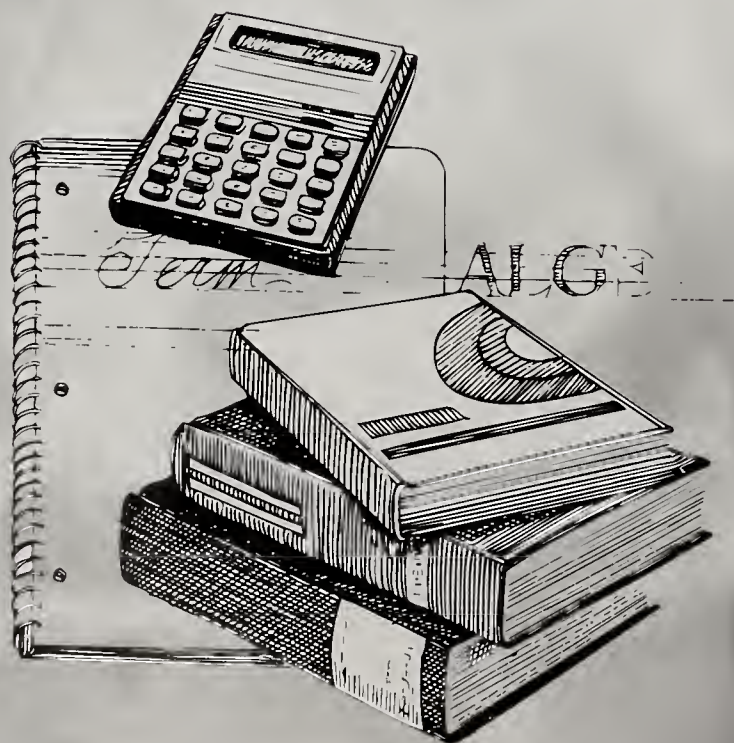


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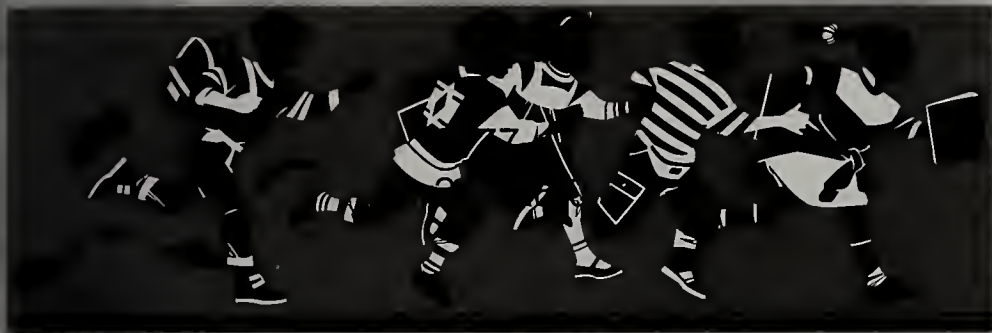
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Lucinda Kin-Frode, Rebecca
Leavitt, Beverly Lovett, Anna
Martin-Jearld, June Metcalf

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Levin, Kim MacInnis, Carolyn Petrosino,
Hank Vandenburg, Sarah Whittey



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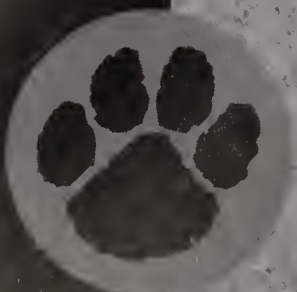
Sports

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Field Hockey

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Front Row (L-R): Ann Nolan, Colleen Bateson, Erika Smith

Second Row (L-R): Head Coach Courtney Hexter, Lindsay Dopart, Chandra Wark, Erin Lonergan, Kelly Robinson, Melanie Van Kleeck, Heather Eldredge, Kathleen Cote

Third Row (L-R): Student Athletic Trainer Becky Racicot, Amanda Johnson, Sarah Smith, Sharon Smart, Tammy Taranto, Danielle D'Agostino, Teresa Soderholm, Lauren Mazzola, Assistant Coach Amy Richendollar

Back Row (L-R): Jennifer Pohl, Kacie Hinchliffe, Kimberly Carlson, Team Manager Kristen Connolly, Student Athletic Trainer Charlene Grotz



Erin Lonergan gets ready to receive the ball.



Trying to keep Eastern Connecticut from getting a goal, BSC runs after the ball.

Erika Smith moves the ball up field.



	BSC	Opp
Babson College	0	1
Worcester Poly.	2	0
Framingham	2	1
Wheaton College	3	2
Worcester State	2	1
E. Conn.	1	0
UMASS Dart.	5	0
Keene State	1	5
Plymouth State	1	5
Endicott College	2	0
Salve Regina	1	0
Fitchburg	3	2
Salem State	3	2
Westfield	3	0
U. Southern ME	1	2
Worcester State	3	2
Keene State	0	6



Erika Smith defends the ball for her team.



Cross Country

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Front Row (L-R): Robert Kimbrell, Sean Hanlon, Russell Trottier, Nathan Goldrick

Back Row (L-R): Mark Powers, Mark Gulinello, William Alves, Dan Blair, Christopher Starr



Front Row (L-R): Kathleen Smith, Jennifer Dancey, Tamara Souza

Back Row (L-R): Danielle Bean, Laura Karns, Kristen Iworsky, Sarah Bauld



Danielle Bean speeds up to catch up to the lead runner.



Russell Trotter, Sean Hanlon, Nathan Goldrick and Mark Gulinello run together to give the BSC men a victory.

Tammy Souza holds her strong lead against Regis College.



MEN

UMASS Inv.	17th Place
Univ. S.M.	11th Place
Tri-State Inv.	4th Place
R.W. Inv.	DNP
Regis Inv.	DNP
MASCAC	4th Place
Alliance	DNP
NCAA	30th Place

WOMEN

UMASS Inv.	17th Place
Univ. S.M.	9th Place
Tri-State Inv.	1st Place
R.W. Inv.	1st Place
Regis Inv.	2nd Place
MASCAC	1st Place
Alliance	3rd Place
NCAA	22nd Place



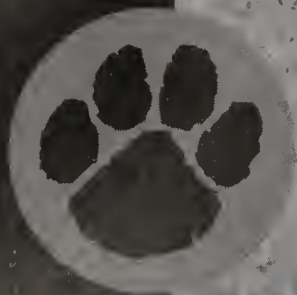
Freshman Kathleen Smith proves that she belongs with the rest of the BSC team.



Kristen Iworski leads the pack in the mile run.

Football

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The offensive team gets ready to hit the field.



2003 Bridgewater State College Football Team



Salve Regina has some big players.

With the team standing tall, the players prepared to shut out Salve Regina.

	BSC	Opp
Nichols Col.	47	44
UMASS Dart.	13	34
Framingham	42	14
Fitchburg	48	45
Maine Maritime	56	44
Westfield	24	27
Salve Regina	42	0
Worcester State	24	38
Mass Maritime	45	28

BSC breaks through the defensive line.



Going from behind, the players take the opponent down one by one.



These two defensive players get their game faces on.

Women's Soccer

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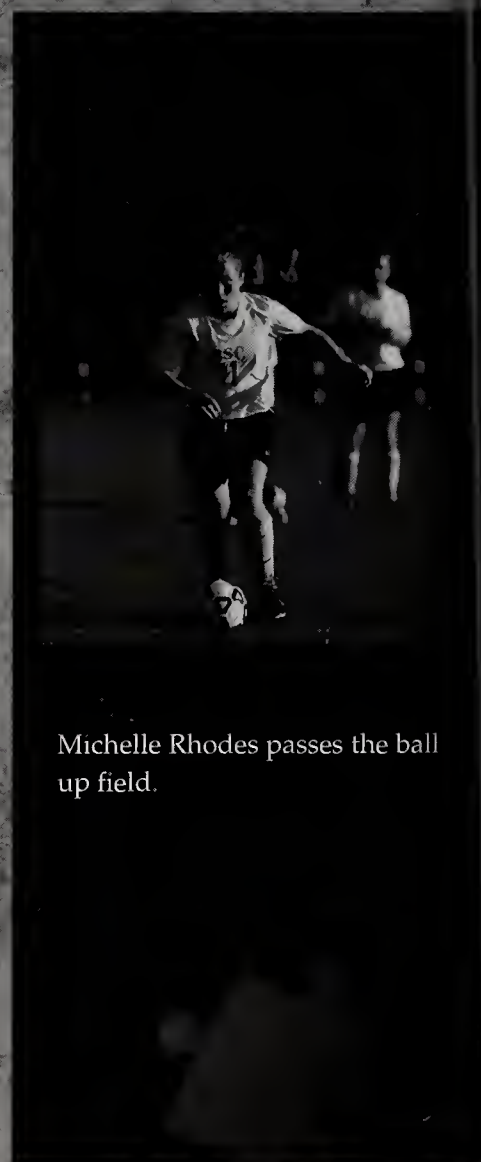
Stephanie Mason looks for the next available teammate.



2003 Bridgewater State College Women's Soccer Team



Michelle Rhodes passes the ball up field.





Freshman Stacy Santos beats her opponent to the ball.

2003 Senior Class: Natalie Lyons (#17), Kim Rhodes (#21), Maura Cacciatore (#1), Kathleen Burke (#5) and Jessica Moura (#19)



	BSC	Opp
UMASS D.	2	0
E. Conn.	0	2
Bowdoin Col.	0	4
Plymouth St.	1	1
Babson Col.	0	0
M.I.T.	0	1
Roger Williams	8	0
Framingham	1	2
Mass College	6	1
Westfield	0	1
Rhode Island	2	1
Salve Regina	4	3
Fitchburg	2	0
Worcester State	1	0
Salem State	2	1
Worcester State	1	0
Salem State	0	0
Amherst College	0	1



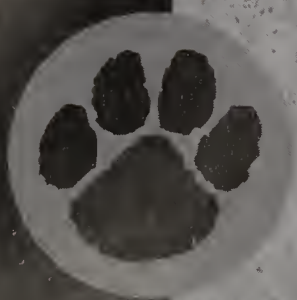
Kim Rhodes races her opponent to reach the ball first.



Jessica Moura signals her team for the next play.

Men's Soccer

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Seth Falconer and Ryan Mackiewicz use each other to get the ball on the other side of the field.



Front Row (L-R): Dennis Stuchlak, Billy Goodell, Takeshi Jokaku, Mike Quinn, Ryan Perry, Phil Howe, Deron Jackson, Emmanuel Quayson, Seth Falconer, Patrick Nash

Back Row (L-R): Assistant Coach Kevin Fitzgibbon, Geoff Guimaraes, Teddy Gabriel, Matt Bernstein, Josh Naginewicz, Topher Paone, Joe Ferguson, Jon Henninger, Ryan Mackiewicz, Junji Mochizuki, Mike Brammer, Brad Opie, John Naughton, Head Coach Brendan Adam



Freshman Josh Naginewicz looks left, but passes right at the last moment!



Mike Brammer gets by three opponents for the ball.



Topher Paone jumps high to hit the ball with the only other body part he can use, his head.

	BSC	Opp
Plymouth State	1	2
Wheaton Col.	0	3
E. Conn. State	1	0
Endicott College	4	0
Brandeis Univ.	2	2
Framingham	6	0
Springfield	1	0
Mass. College	3	2
Westfield State	0	1
Rhode Island Cl.	2	3
Mass. Maritime	1	1
Fitchburg State	3	0
Worcester	1	0
UMASS Dart.	3	3
Babson College	0	2
Salem State	1	0
Mass. College	1	0
Worcester State	1	2



Derek Johnson passes the ball to his teammate.



Phil Howe makes the pass across the field.

Women's Tennis

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE



2003 Women's Tennis Team



Becky Jenkins hits the ball over the net in practice.

	BSC	Opp
Curry College	4	5
Regis College	5	4
Newport Inv.	6th Place	
UMASS Dart.	6	3
Roger Williams	5	4
Rhode Island	2	7
Emmanuel	7	2
Babson Col.	1	8
Salem State	5	4
Johnson & Wales	0	8



Freshman Kim Palumbo is all smiles on joining the team.

Volleyball

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE



Front Row (L-R): Melissa Healey, Kristin Prokopas, Audra Fredette, Kristen LaRoche

Back Row (L-R): Assistant Coach Enrique Irizarry, Student Athletic Trainer Marie Frias, Amy Donnelly, Kim Price, Amanda Clement, Patricia Carlson, Emily DesJardins, Melissa Machado, Rachael Hellyar, Emily Graham, Head Coach Ken Duarte



Emily Graham, Emily DesJardins, Kristen LaRoche and Patricia Carlson all pull together to get the ball on the other side of the net.



Patricia Carlson goes to bump the ball up so Audra Fredette can spike the ball over the net.



	BSC	Opp
Williams Col.	0	3
U.S. Coast Gd.	2	3
Western NE	3	0
Wheaton	3	1
Colby-Sawyer	3	2
UMASS Dart.	3	0
Springfield	0	3
Brandeis	0	3
U.S. Merchant	3	1
McDaniel	3	0
Hunter	3	1
Mass. Maritime	3	1
Worcester Poly	3	0
Conn College	3	0
Plymouth St.	2	3
Wheaton	3	2
Framingham	3	0
Bates College	0	3
Johnson & Wales	3	2
Tufts Univ.	0	3
Worcester St.	3	0
Mass. College	3	0
Keene State	3	0
Salem State	3	0
Colby College	0	3
Wheaton College	2	3
Gordon College	1	3
Clark Univ.	3	0
Westfield	3	0
Salve Regina	3	0
U. Minnesota	0	3
U. Minnesota	3	2
Moravian Col.	1	3
Worcester St.	3	0
Westfield	3	0
Colby-Sawyer	1	3



Melissa Healey and Emily DesJardins go up for the block.



This player is ready for the ball to come back into play



Men's Basketball

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE



2003-2004 Men's Basketball Team



Ryan Anderson dodges an opponent.



David Ruskstalis shoots from the foul line.



David Rukstalis, Chris Hayes, Jerry Richardson and Billy Hymon charge up court.



Ryan Anderson looks for an open teammate.

	BSC	Opp
Keene State	70	80
Salem State	72	75
UMASS Dart.	87	89
Mount Ida	68	73
Springfield Col.	70	83
Bowdoin Col.	64	75
RI College	81	75
Emmanuel Col.	81	71
Westfield State	68	60
Framingham	82	58
Mass College	86	57
UMASS Boston	70	63
Curry College	60	77
Worcester State	76	68
Salem State	78	82
Fitchburg State	68	75
Westfield State	86	69
Plymouth State	67	82
Framingham	68	53
Mass College	81	54
Wheaton Col.	79	78
Worcester State	73	53
Salem State	59	71
Fitchburg State	75	76
Westfield State	89	62
Salem State	81	93

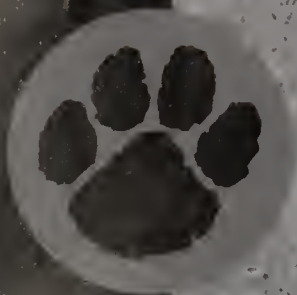


Mike Rondeau goes for a lay-up.



Tim Ryan goes up for an extra point.

Women's Basketball



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Front Row (L-R): Tricia Pendergast, Elizabeth Martin, Katelyn Hart, Amy Pimenta, Elizabeth Stieg

Back Row (L-R): Team Manager Jamie Ross, Asst. Coach Brian Pieciewicz, Megan King, Jacqueline Thibault, Erin Lantry, Jessica Worden, Samantha Curry, Catie Furtado, Asst. Coach Lynn Allen, Head Coach Bridgett Casey



Katelyn Hart looks for an opening to get the ball to her teammates.



Megan King dribbles the ball up court.

Elizabeth Martin and Samantha Curry dribble the away from the opponents.



	BSC	Opp
Wheaton	74	60
Bowdoin	53	71
Pine Manor	79	33
Babson	57	64
UMASS Dart.	72	63
Endicott	66	51
Williams Col.	65	76
Col. Staten Is.	74	69
E.CT State	39	61
Westfield State	57	63
Framingham	64	49
Mass College	46	49
UMASS Boston	70	58
Worcester State	39	56
Salem State	47	69
Fitchburg	47	57
Westfield State	47	58
Framingham	67	55
Mass College	77	41
Johnson & Wales	80	68
Worcester State	61	59
Salem State	52	56
Fitchburg	45	62



Catie Furtado shoots for a three point shot.

Indoor Track and Field

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2003-2004 Men's Indoor Track Team



2003-2004 Women's Indoor Track Team



Swimming

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2003-2004 Men's Swimming Team

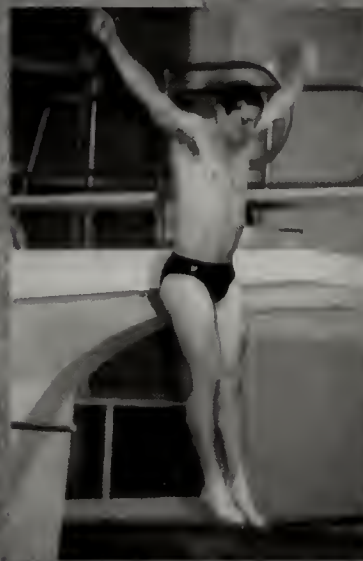


2003-2004 Women's Swimming Team





This athlete goes for a perfect dive.



Men	BSC	Opp
UMASS Dart.	147	91
Clark Univ.	136	61
Wheaton Col.	127	115
Gordon Col.	140	92
Keene State	115	182
Bentley	107	165
Babson	117	139
New England's 4th Place		

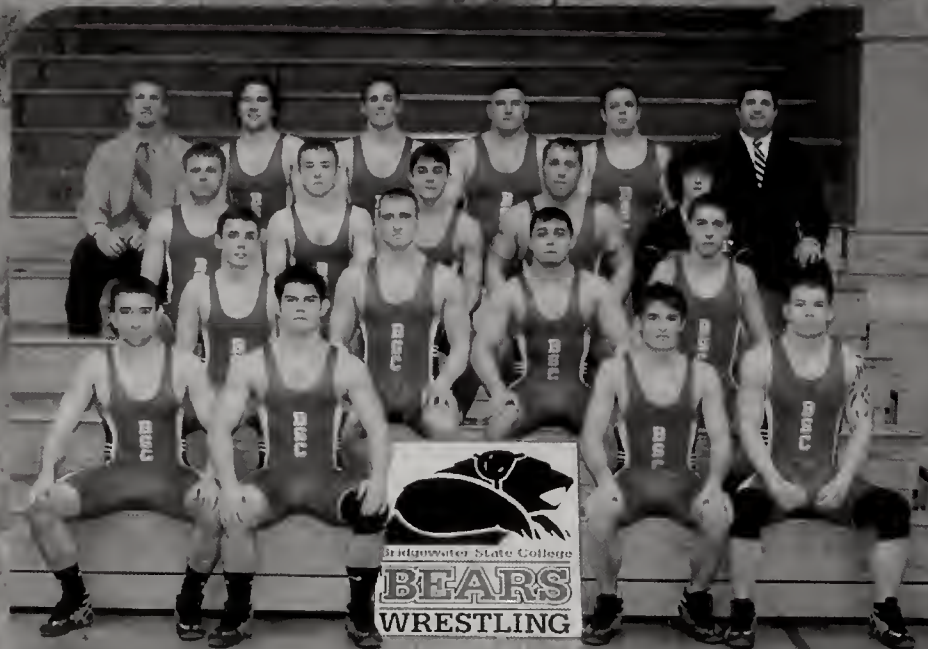
Women	BSC	Opp
Western NE	92	147
UMASS Dart.	91	124
Clark Univ.	102	132
Wheaton Col.	90	124
Eastern CT	85	114
Gordon Col.	138	111
Plymouth State	126	160
Keene State	129	148
Bentley	124	144
Babson	137	140
New England's 8th Place		



Anne Nolan swims the 1000-meter relay.

Wrestling

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Front Row (L-R): Scott Wilson, John Fralick, Dan McNally, J.P. Bardier

Second Row (L-R): Terry Baroudi, Craig Buckley, Steve Hawkins, Mike Donovan

Third Row (L-R): Nick Erban, Tom Hennessey, Tim Lawlor, Chris Primo, Mike Dillon

Back Row (L-R): Assistant Coach Brian Borkowski, Luke Verge, Brian Bartlett, Andy Burns, Jason Stotik, Head Coach Mike Kenney



The NECCWA Dual Meet Championship is in full swing.





John Fralick pins his opponent to the mat.

Scott Wilson tries to pin his opponent.



	BSC	Opp
Johnson & Wales	16	25
Roger Williams		6th place
Springfield Inv.		12th place
Western NE	23	18
Bryant	18	6
Boston Univ.	1	50
Binghamton U.	3	37
Wesleyan Univ.	12	26
Springfield Col.	4	41
SUNY-Cortland	4	41
York College	3	40
Ursinus College	15	35
Johns Hopkins	15	35
McDaniel Col.	9	33
Worcester Poly.	9	34
Plymouth Inv.		5th place
Williams College	15	34
US Coast Guard	19	28
Trinity College	7	41
Williams College	16	25
U. Southern ME	24	16
MIT	27	6
Plymouth State	16	34
Roger Williams	12	34
Naval Academy	29	15
Norwich Univ.	6	40
Naval Academy	40	6
Trinity College	3	52
RI College	14	25
NE Championships		12th place



New England Champion Craig Buckley plans his first moves on his opponent.

Dan McNally makes the first move.



Baseball

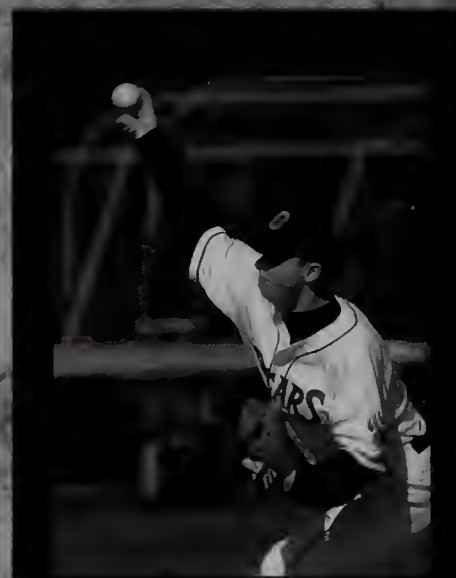
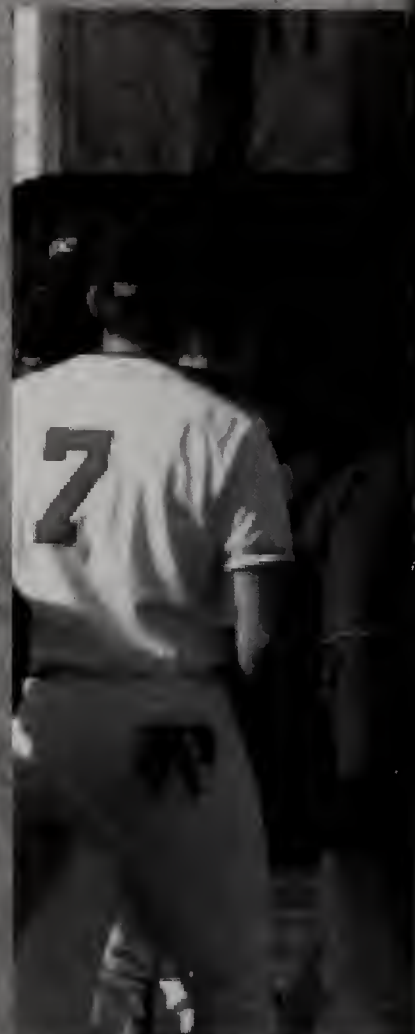
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Front Row (L-R): Dan Mandell, Josh White, Derek Favreau, Sean White, Scott Garland
 Middle Row (L-R): Nate Horsman, Peter Starr, Greg Lovett, Tim Hart, Tim LaConte, Jeff Meau, Scott Favreau, Assistant Coach Lou Collitti
 Back Row (L-R): Head Coach Rick Smith, Assistant Coach John Graham, Chris Dargon, Mike Richard, Jim Sullivan, Jordan Richards, Joe Harkins, Jeremy Winters, Anthony Taormina, Jason Arraiol, Chad Cambra, Eric Fardig, Assistant Coach Doug Vadnais, Assistant Coach Brian Warren



Christian Perry circles the bases after his game winning home run.



Martin Anderson throws a curve ball.

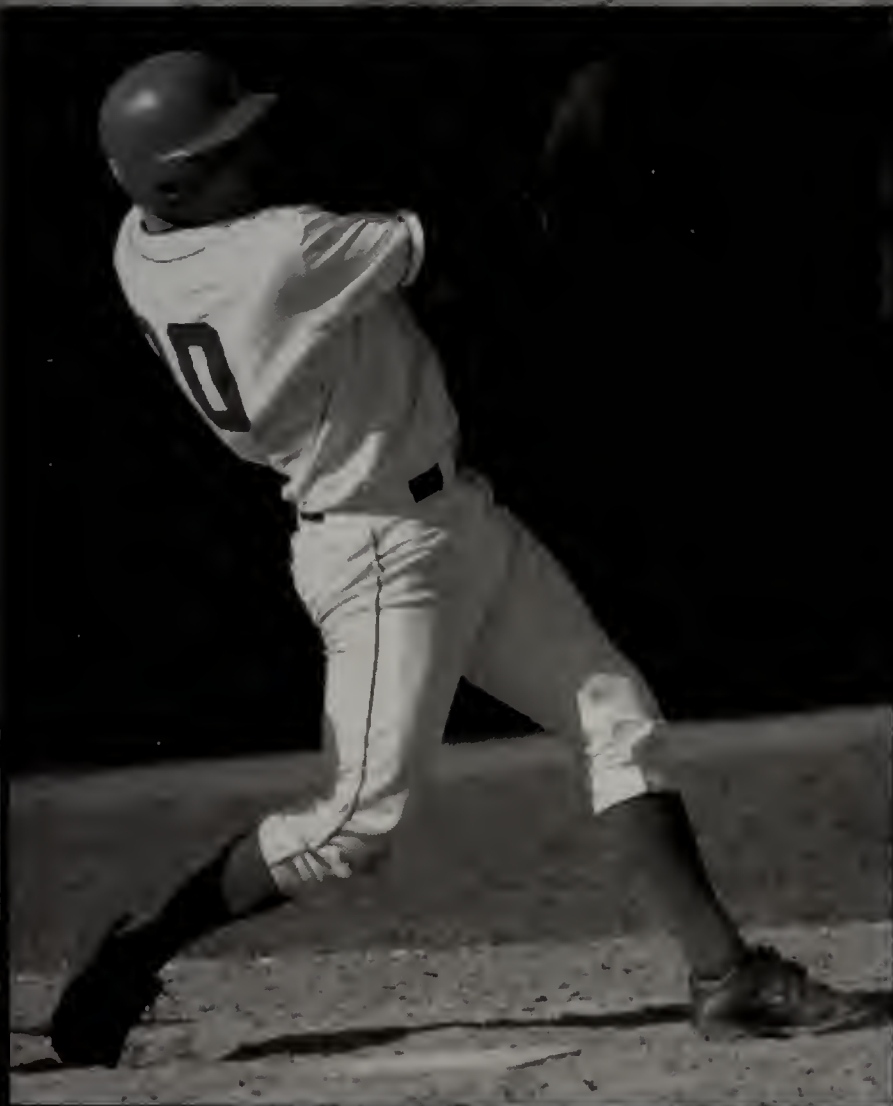


The Bears celebrate another victory.



Sean White throws to a teammate between innings.

	BSC	Opp
Ursinus Col.	3	1
Washington Col.	14	9
Col. Misericordia	8	3
Case Western	10	5
Old Westbury	6	0
McDaniel Col.	1	8
Pikeville College	12	1
Mount St. Mary	1	5
Oneonta State	3	1
Wheaton College	4	7
Suffolk Univ.	4	19
Worcester State	4	2
Worcester State	1	3
Babson College	8	11
Univ. of S. ME	6	8
Salem State	10	3
Salem State	7	6
Brandeis Univ.	5	3
Framingham St.	8	2
Framingham St.	3	1
Westfield State	10	3
Westfield State	7	5
Eastern CT State	3	8
UMass Dart.	1	2
UMass Dart.	2	8
Fitchburg State	6	8
Fitchburg State	3	13
Mass Maritime	11	1
Mass Maritime	19	0
RI College	9	12
Mass College	5	4
Mass College	1	0
Westfield State	11	5
Westfield State	8	4



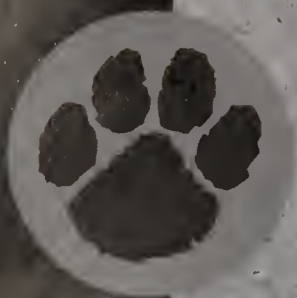
Joe Harkins hits one deep into left field.



Catcher Curtis Child makes a play at the plate against Salem State College.

Lacrosse

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE



2003-2004 Lacrosse Team





	BSC	Opp
Salve Regina	12	2
Western NE	5	13
Lasell College	19	2
Worcester State	22	2
Eastern CT	5	6
Elms College	30	3
Wheaton Col.	5	19
Mount Holyoke	13	7
Bryant College	6	13
UMass Dart.	9	3
Castleton State	27	0
Worcester State	23	6
Western NE	5	11



Softball

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE



2003-2004 Softball Team





	BSC	Opp
Bethany College	1	2
Wesleyan College	3	2
Savannah Col.	2	12
Ithaca College	4	9
East Texas Univ.	1	5
Muhlenberg Col.	2	4
Lake Forest Col.	2	3
Ithaca College	1	10
Lake Forest Col.	3	5
La Grange Col.	5	4
Wheaton College	0	13
Wheaton College	0	5
Mass College	4	3
Mass College	12	0
Eastern CT Univ.	4	10
Eastern CT Univ.	2	1
Clark University	4	0
Clark University	11	1
Worcester State	6	1
Worcester State	9	1
Univ. of S. ME	5	8
Univ. of S. ME	2	5
Tufts University	5	1
Tufts University	2	1
Salem State	1	0
Salem State	7	0
Framingham St.	6	0
Framingham St.	1	2
Westfield State	6	2
Westfield State	5	2
UMass Dart.	8	0
UMass Dart.	8	5
Fitchburg State	4	1
Fitchburg State	1	2
Mass Maritime	8	0
Mass Maritime	16	0



Men's Tennis

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2003-2004 Men's Tennis Team

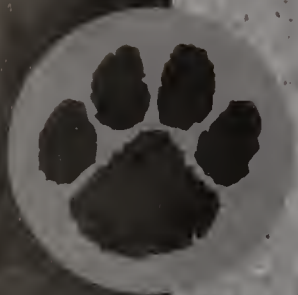




	BSC	Opp
Roger Williams	3	4
Clark University	2	5
RI College	6	3
Western NE	6	3
UMass Dart.	4	5
CCRI	8	1
Babson College	0	7
Univ. of S. ME	1	6
Curry College	5	4
UMass Boston	6	3



Outdoor Track and Field



BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE





Men	Result
Northeastern Inv.	DNP
RI College Inv.	7th
Bryant Inv.	7th
Northeastern Inv.	DNP
MASCAC	4th
NE Alliance	9th



Women	Result
Northeastern Inv.	DNP
RI College Inv.	4th
Bryant Inv.	5th
Northeastern Inv.	DNP
MASCAC	2nd
NE Alliance	5th



Residence Life





Shea and Durgin Halls

Amber Brake, Mark Eberle, Sam Arena and Andrew Slazenik relax after taking their first college exam.

These three students show that living in a forced triple isn't always so hard.



Two new friends show just how to relax on a nice spring day.

Staff photographer Andrea Patton is all smiles with her roommates, Anna Takahoma and Theresa Wood, when her work is finally done.





Ann Magg. Carly Chamberlain and Jennifer Poitras chat away in the hall. Hmm...I wonder what they could be talking about? Hmm...



Lauren Konish is hard at work and trying to get her studies done so she can have some free time.



Megan Duffy proudly displays her new straw hat, while roommate Lindsay Rich smiles approvingly.



Brandon Phinney plays his newest X-Box game while his girlfriend Jen Giguere watches him in awe.

These two students play poker games and drink Diet Coke to get rid of some of their stress.

Pope Hall

Amanda, Nicole, Jessica, Bonnie and Danielle all show that when living next to each other, there is never a dull moment.

Jen Holcomb just woke up from a really good dream.



Randall Bartsch is very comfortable watching TV on that big old couch.

These two roommates, Jenn Hemenway and Lindsey Steele pose for a photo before heading off to class.





Leng Ly tries to get all of her work done before going to a sorority event.



Mike O'Donnell is happy to get a break from writing his longest research paper.



Kadian Phillips rests for a minute after practicing her newest dance moves.



Nap time! Lindsay Rean, Anna Brang and Kerry Alvey wind down after a long day.

Scott Hall

Melissa Punto, Courtney Talbot and Jessica Doyle are all smiles after a successful PC event!



David Larocque is happy because he has found the real Santa-Douglas Glenn Dalrymple!

Daniel James guards his door so nobody can see his messy room.





RA Amy Beckerman smiles because her floor is finally quiet at night!



Surprise! Jessica Hemingway is always happy to have visitors.



Rae Beth Anderson and Katie Whyte huddle together at a computer to surf the net.



It's nice that this couple can relax on the couch after a long day.

Woodward Hall

Wow! Look at all those pictures on the wall! Sheila Kane and Katie Boeteher must not have liked the bland white walls.



Alyssa Cooke stands guard by her door so none of those wandering males enter her room.

Katie Mattes and Sarah Lane are on their way out the door to go work out at the gym.





Laura Coffin is heads out the door to go clubbing in Boston!



Jessica Wentworth and Cathy Goulet want to show everyone how they love living together.



Jennifer Anderson and Megan Cote proudly show off their crazy lamp and a very artistic room.



Karisa Browne displays her artwork on her door.

Awww...look at those curtains. They make the room look like the residents' home away from home.

Miles Hall

These students are quite happy after the Red Sox beat the Yankees!



Getting a little practice in before a game, these lacrosse players enjoy a beautiful day.

Andrea Cabral gets ready to head off to work.

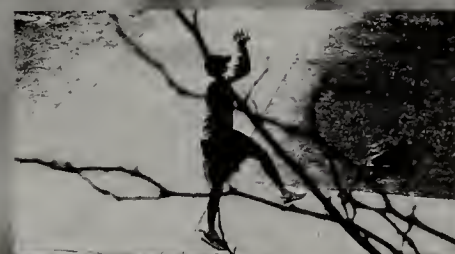




After their room is finally clean, Lisa Letroneau and Jen Mottora can smile knowing that they can go out tonight.



Paul Lallier and Chris Denden rest after along one-on-one game of basketball.



These students get ready to go out for a long run to get in shape and release some stress.

DiNardo Hall

Katie Burke and Jen Baron head out to go a big concert in Boston.

Davey Eton concentrates on his PlayStation racing game.



Shelby Wellington and Jenn Walsh go to visit their sisters.

Greg Brillon looks up from his latest research assignment.





Amy Deveau smiles as her picture is taken of her favorite tapestry.

These DiNardo students like to go look outside on a nice day.



Sheri Folsom talks on the phone with her boyfriend.

Jen Hamilton grins as she completed her final online quiz.

East Hall

SRA John Pine helps RA Chris Mettle with his floor project.



Lindsay Hanson and Kristy Myers are happy knowing that their final year is almost done.

Christie Sears and Sara Bieniek huddle together to stay warm at the homecoming game.





Melissa Healey warms up before going off to dance practice.



Justin Campbell gets ready to go to track practice.



Micha Martin tries to finish her paper that is due in less than an hour.



Alli Surette is relieved knowing that she has taken her last test of the year.

Great Hill Student Apartments

Adam Stoddard watches what's going on in the apartments.

Kevin Ouellet will be climbing into his bed for a nice long nap.



Justin Gorman researches flight info for his spring break trip...

...while his suitemate, Brian Sweeney, can't wait for the vacation!





Tomomi Nakamurea finishes her last drawing assignment.



Allyson Hanley shies away from the camera.

Campus Police Officer, Gordon Delmonte, interacts with all the residents.

Activities





Marching Band





Cheerleading





Dance Company





La Sociedad Latina





Adventure Role Playing Club



Front Row (L to R):

**Andrew Marton, Alysha Hosford, Joshua Durant, Darryl Brophy, Chansaw,
Sim Golemme, Michael Gauthier**

Back Row:

**Ashley Feaster, Elena Kelley, Bernie Hoelschem, Michael Banks, Alan Johnson, Wam
Brinckerhoff-Stilgoe, Gregory Connolly, Leah Tedesco, Gregg Bouley, Will Chomley**

Chemistry Club



Front Row (L to R):

Angel Fuentes, Tricia Shaw-Nelson, Jesse Miller, Frank Gorga, Clifford Noda

Middle Row:

Yaela Ben-Ami, Angella Cavicchi, Brian Anderson, James Hebda, Steven Haefner, Edward Brush

Back Row:

Mariam Barakat, Lindsay McDonald, Evan Broderick, Marissa Montagu, Nathan Powers

The Comment



Front Row (L to R):

Mark Connolly Jr., Jennifer Cunningham, Geoffrey Okunson, Mike Haggerty

Back Row:

Danielle Brown, Greg Hohl, John Smith, Joe Cutrufo, Mike DeStefano

History Club



Front Row (L to R):

Tom DiBenedetto, Kelly Engdahl, John Mayo

Back Row:

Maui Williams, Matt Marino, Will Candler, Laura Hand, Casey Repkowski, Luci Fortunato DeLisle

Residence Hall Association



Top Row (L to R):

Michael Hamilton, Kyle Armstrong, Kaitlyn McSweeney, Laura Piechowski

Third Row:

**Caitlin Isberg, Rob Cannata, Justin Gorman, Josh Landry, Kristin Nelson, John Mayo,
Shannon Kiely, Jessica Doyle, Darcy Fay**

Second Row:

**Alicia Carriero, Dan Bythewood, Amy Berard, Wendy St. Pierre, Nancy Gardner, Josh Adams,
Jen Donaghy, Mark Hewitt**

Front Row:

**Christine Carter, Kim Comer, Jason Stocker, Elizabeth Robbins, Derrick Zellmann,
Lisa Kuczinski, Ryan Fontaine**

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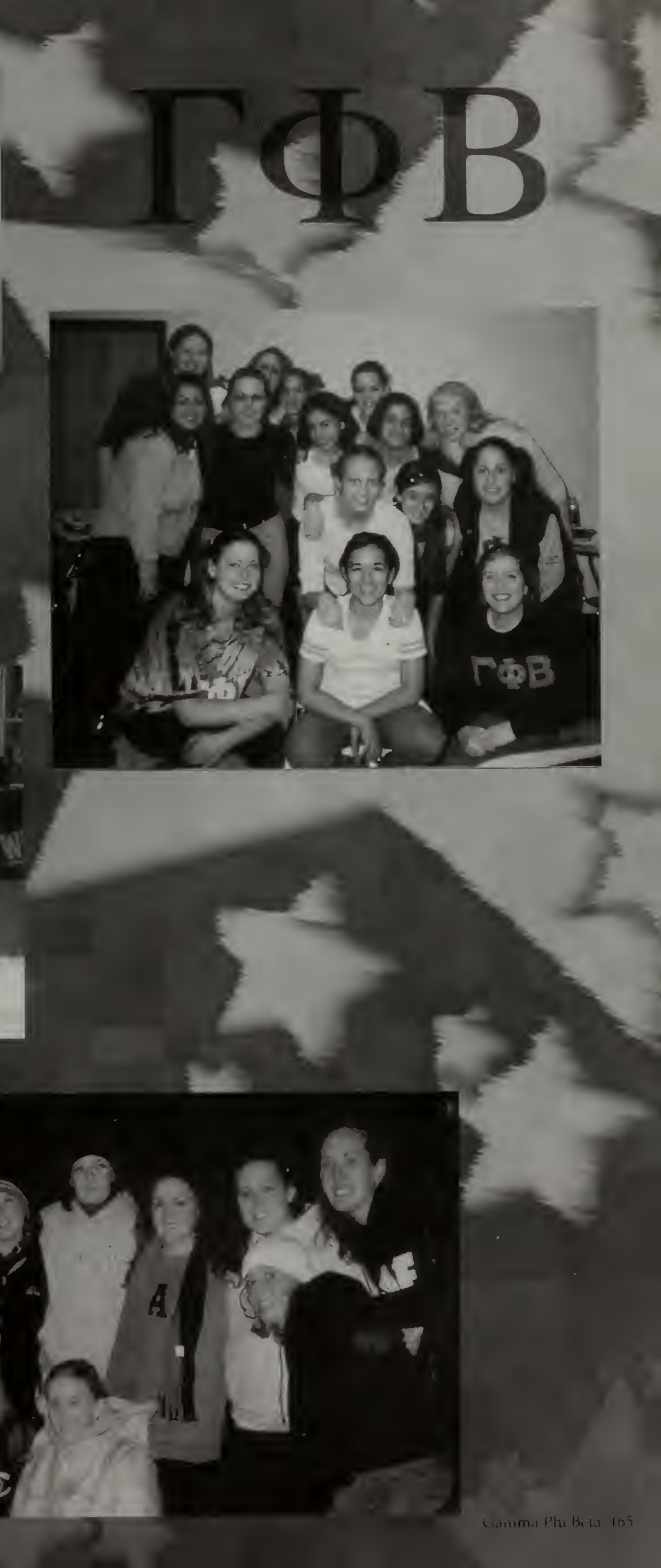
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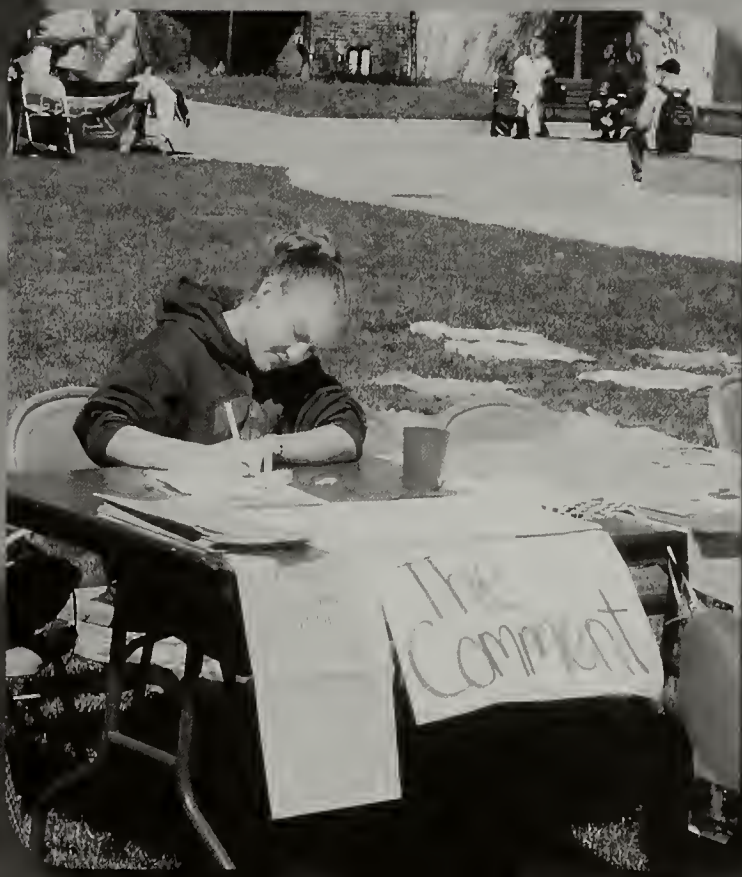
Gamma Phi Beta





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Congratulations
 Nancy, Jeff and
 Shannon!
 Best of luck in the
 future!
 Love,
 P.R.S.A.

Student Organization Senior Honor Roll

Adventure Role Playing Club

Craig Bosley
Bernie Huelschen

African American Society

Stephen Agard
Emmanuel A. Belonwu
Samantha Cumberbatch
Audilla DaVeiga
Samantha Joseph
Sasha Link
Admar Semedo

ASC 6

Tara Auciello
Christine Carter
Kevin Croke
Erin Rowe

Cape Verdean Student Association

Stephen Agard
Carmen Almeida
Capitell
Chi Chi Beltrami
Bena Berry
Sheliah Cuthbert
Samantha Joseph
Sasha Link
Victor Bosario
Admar Semedo

El Club de Espanol

Kelly Adams
Nicole DaSilva
Emanuel Dreye
Cecilia Jimenez
Christopher Martinez
Luis Perez
Christine Rebelo
Luis Sanchez

Gamma Phi Beta Sorority

Christine Casale
Emilie Cloutman
Jillian Darlington

Marcie Fernandes
Melinda Flanagan
Chelsea Fournier
Melanie Frazier
Jennifer Hamilton
Jillian Kuras
Abby Lesniak
Lina Macedo
Carrie Radcliffe
Julie Raynor
Erin Rowe
Christie Sears
Gretchen Spath
Danielle Sullivan
Erin Sullivan
Molly Talbot
Annie Vieira
Shannon Walsh

History Club

Amy Aresta
Kelly Engdahl

Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity

Scott Garcia
Mike Long
Ryan St. Aubin
Jeff Trucchi

National Residence Hall Honorary

Tara Auciello
Christine Carter
Kimberly Comer
Michael Corbett
Erin Costello
Kevin Croke
Michelle DeMille
Samantha Fee
Kristin Gilmore
Christopher Hartle
Julie Raynor
Danielle Robinson
Erin Rowe
Joie Steele
Jason Stocker

Phi Pi Delta Fraternity

Nina DeAgrela
Shannon Kiely
Jason Stocker

Phi Sigma Sigma Sorority

Rebecca Clark
Jackie Cyr
Christine DiMartino
Kaitlyn Maclean
Lauren Marturano
Kim Robbins

Public Relations Student Association

Nancy Gardner
Shannon Kiely
Jeff Stackpole

Residence Hall Association

Christine Carter
Kim Comer
Nina DeAgrela
Nancy Gardner
Shannon Kiely
Kaitlyn McSweeney
Joie Steele
Jason Stocker

Sigma Pi Fraternity

Kevin Croke
Luke Eaton
Tom Gainey
Randy Lloyd
Matt Quimby

Students Accepting a Challenge

Jennifer Barron
Alayna Brinkley
Elizabeth Higgins
Jessica O'Neil

Student Government Association

Tara Auciello
Stephen Boucher
Michael Corbett
Dounai Kirwan
Admar Semedo

To Tara Ross:

Tara

Congratulations! We are
so very proud of you!

And remember...

To Ryan M. Hart:

Ryan,

Congratulations. We are
very proud of you.

Love,

Mom, Dad and Matt

To Jennifer Garvey:

Jenn,

May you always follow
your dreams. Take each
day one step at a time.

You did it!

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Lil Coree, EmDog, and Sara:

Spreading the laughter or wiping the
tears, count on me to always be there.

To Matthew (my best friend for 4 years):

No one has left more of a mark on my
heart then you have. Love you always.

ΓΦΒ: ~ Not four years, but for life ~

Love always,

Christie

To Dan Mastrogriacomo:

Congratulations Dan! The years have gone
by quickly and your hard work is about to
pay off! We're very proud of you!

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Jessica Moura:

Darling Jessica, our pride and joy, you
have excelled in this phase of your life.
Smile, the world is yours, enjoy!

LOVE,

Dad, Mom, Russell

From Victor Rosario:

This day is an unforgettable memory for my family, friends and myself. Therefore, I would like to dedicate my graduation to my parents.

To Shannon Walsh:

Shannie! You are remarkable! I'm honored to have you as my daughter. Words can't begin to describe how proud I am of you!

Love,
Mom

To Lauren M. Habeeb:

You are our pride and joy.

Love,

Mom, Dad, David and Jackie

"Knowledge speaks, but wisdom listens."

Jimi Hendrix

From Sheliah Calhoun:

In honor of my dad
(1948-1987)

Thank you to my family and host of friends for all the support. No time is wasted; every moment is a learning moment.

To Melissa Cunniff:

Melissa,

Congratulations on this great accomplishment.

May you continue to grow and find much success and happiness.

Love,
Mom

To Michelle DeMille:

Michelle,

Know that you're always cherished; the pride we feel is every parents dream! Your achievements hold us in awe.

All our Love,
Mom and Dad

To Capri Bell:

Congratulations on your achievements! In short, this is what we think: Mommy: Priceless; Dad: Spectacular; Brooks: Wonderful; Ma: Fantastic role model; Granddaddy: "That's my million dollar baby"; Beaver family: Inspirational; Glenn and family: Extraordinary; Nannie: Exceptional; Pete: Admirable; Jarrid: Precious; Keith: Yeah!; Jovana: "I love my God mommy!"

Love, the family

To Alyssa M. Daniels:

We are all very proud of you. Your parents and grandparents wish you the best in whatever you do.

With love and support,
Mom and Dad

To Sara Bieniek:

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." Ralph Waldo Emerson

We are very proud of the person you have become and of all your accomplishments and may all that life has to offer, be yours...

Love,

Mom, Dad and Laura

To Daniel Feeney:

Danny -- Congratulations on your graduation from BSC and your many accomplishments. Approach the next chapter of your life with confidence and pride -- you're the BEST.

Love,

Mom

From Melissa Genovesi:

To my family: Thank you for your continued support. I love you. To my friends: Chris, Michelle, Kim and everyone, you made these past four years everything and more than I hoped they would be.
Congratulations 2004!

To Scott Clayman:

There's a whole world of endless possibilities and dreams to pursue. We're so proud of the man that you have become.
Love,
Mom and Dad

To Joseph Crane:

Congratulations! We are very proud of your accomplishments at school and with lacrosse. We wish you health, happiness and success!
Love,
Dad, Mom and Michael

To Arielle Altimas:

We're so proud of you Arielle! You are such an inspiration to us all. We love you very much as a sister, daughter and friend.

To Laura Friedman:

Congratulations Laura! We are very proud of your success in college. We know you will achieve whatever your professional desires are.
Love,
Mom and Dad

To Steve Allan:

Congratulations Steve!

We are so proud of you.

We wish you success
and happiness in all that
you do.

Love,

Dad, Mom and Suzanne

To Cheryl Hastings:

Dear Cheryl,

Proud and blessed to be your parents,
we've watched your amazing journey
from birth to the present. You're incred-
ible, Cheryl! As we celebrate you and the
attainment of your degree, we know your
future is certain to be bright.

With our love and support always,

Mom and Dad

To Amy Marshall:

Amy,

From the day you were
born we knew you
would be something
special. We're both so
very proud of you.

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Katie Maguire:

Congratulations on your greatest achieve-
ment. No one could be as proud as I am
of your accomplishments, your strengths,
your independence and the goals you have
reached. I hope you always follow your
heart and be happy in life. Never let any-
thing stand in your way. Thank you!

Love,

Mom

To Mary Rajotte:

Congratulations!

Wishing you success and happiness in all
your endeavors now and always.

We are so very proud of you.

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Jole Steele:

Congratulations Jole, we are so proud of you!
You have learned so much at BSC and made the most of every opportunity. You have learned to be an excellent leader and a gracious follower. Most importantly, you have enjoyed the journey.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Shelby, Nana and Papa

From Michael Scarlett:

I have beaten the odds...
Success is the best revenge.

To James Sullivan:

To our son James,
You have made your father and I very proud of you. Congratulations on all your hard work.
Proud Parents,
Mom and Dad

To Alicia Vatalaro:

May there be no
happiness you can't
achieve, no dream
you can't fulfill.
You made us proud.
We love you.
Congratulations!
Mom and Dad

To Danielle Belisle:

Congratulations!!
Danielle, we are all
very proud of you.
Love,
Mom, Dad and
Bobby

To Jamie St. Peter:

You have accomplished
so much. We are so very
proud of you now and
forever.

All our love, always,
Mom, Dad, Stacey, Wyatt
and Sydney

To Jennifer O'Neil:

Jennifer, Congratulations!

We are proud of your accomplishments.

You have grown into an intelligent,
hard-working young woman. Strive for
success always!

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Kerri Dawes:

We are so proud of our accomplishments
at BSC. We love you so much and wish
you much success in your future.

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Sarah Morris:

We know you will be a
wonderful teacher. Your
passion for learning
will be reflected in your
teaching. You make us
very proud!

To Sharon Tetto:

Congratulations on your outstanding
accomplishment.

Love,

Mom and Bill

Were so proud of you.

Dad, Grace and Michael Vincent

To Jennifer Rooney:

Your many years of hard work will ensure a bright and successful future. We're very proud of you!

Love,

Mom and Dad

To Audra Jean Fredette:

We enjoyed watching you and your team play volleyball. You are a beautiful young woman. You make us proud. We love you.

Mom and Dad

To Monica Laronda:

Congratulations Monica!

You have always made us so proud. May all your dreams come true.

We love you!

Mom, Dad, Melanie, John Ross and Shaun

To Erin Sullivan:

To my daughter

Erin,

I wish you a life filled with love and happiness. I know you will be successful!

Congratulations my princess!

Love,

Mom

To Julie O'Connell:

Follow your heart and your dreams, and you will always succeed. We are all so proud of you.

Love,

Mom, Roger, Marc, Sean and JR



Top 10 Albums of the Year

1. **The Darkness** ~ Permission To Land
2. **Lost Prophets** ~ Start Something
3. **Death Cab for Cutie** ~ Transatlanticism
4. **The Mars Volta** ~ De-Loused In The Comatorium
5. **Streetlight Manifesto** ~ Everything Goes Numb
6. **Coheed and Cambria** ~ In Keeping Secrets Of Silent Earth: 3
7. **The Twilight Singers** ~ Blackberry Belle
8. **Pretty Girls Make Graves** ~ The New Romance
9. **Thrice** ~ The Artist In The Ambulance
10. **The Rapture** ~ Echoes



FOUR FEET

By Gordon Eldredson

Over the weekend of December 6th and 7th, as much as 20 inches of snow fell in the area. Boston measured its snowfall at 16.9 inches, Providence 17 inches. In Bridgewater 20 inches of snow were recorded.

Early on, there was some debate as to whether or not the first big storm of the season was a blizzard. According the U.S. Weather Service, a blizzard is characterized as "a storm with strong winds, heavy snowfall and extreme cold for a duration of at least three hours." It defines the strong winds as having to be of 35 mph. Based on these qualifications, the storm we all endured was, in many places, an official blizzard.

"To have something like this in early December," said Rob Gilman, director of the New England Weather Service on December 6th, "when you combine the amount of precipitation, the strength of winds and the duration of the event -- that would be once in 50 years." While now -- nearly a week later -- some meteorologists would the debate the statement, many would not. In any case, a margin of error in snow forecasting is to be expected.

According to weather.com, snow forecasting, while better than it used to be, is one of the toughest challenges facing meteorologists.

Pats Party

By Jennifer Cunningham

Bridgewater State College students were sure to celebrate after Adam Vinatieri put one through the uprights for the Patriot's second Super Bowl victory in three years. More than 300 students gathered around the Miles-DiNardo courtyard. Chief of Police David Tillinghast stated, "the crowd was boisterous, but law-abiding at first."

However, later on, several members of the crowd set off fireworks. Some in the crowd were bothered by the hustle and a "fistfight broke out among 25 individuals or so." The chief also noted that alcohol was a definite factor in these incidences. No one required medical attention after the celebration, according to reports, and the majority of the crowd was dispersed almost immediately after police arrived at the scene. Also occurring after the Patriot's win was an alleged assault and theft of a Tom Brady life-size cutout, resulting in one person being taken into protective custody for alcohol incapacitation.



Massachusetts bans gay marriage, approves civil unions

By Danielle Brown

The Massachusetts Legislature approved a constitutional amendment that would ban gay marriage but legalize civil unions. The amendment must be approved--unchanged -- by the 2005-2006 Legislature in order to pass, and would then go to the voters in 2006. The amendment contradicts the ruling of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court, which ruled in November (and again in February) in favor of same-sex marriage.

The amendment defines marriage as "only the union of one man and one woman," although it also provides for "civil unions for same-sex persons" that would receive "the same benefits, protections, rights, privileges and obligations that are afforded to persons married under the law of the commonwealth."

Many officials are also upset with the wording of the amendment, which could confuse voters. "We are giving the people a false choice," said state Rep. Vinny deMacedo (R). "We're saying 'No problem, you can vote to define marriage as between a man and a woman, but the only way you can do it is if you create civil unions that are entirely the same as marriage.'"

On the other hand, Joshua Friedes, advocacy director for the Freedom to Marry Coalition in Massachusetts, said that the amendment was unfair. "We've seen that even people who are uncomfortable with marriage for gays and lesbians think that same-sex couples should be allowed equal rights. Today's language makes it utterly clear that equal rights are the last thing that they will receive under this amendment."

As of May 17th, gay marriage will be legal in Massachusetts despite the passing of the amendment to ban it. As a result, Governor Mitt Romney made a plea for a delay in the Supreme Court's decision to allow gay marriage; he would like the voters be given the opportunity to vote on the issue before same-sex marriages are allowed to occur. However, Attorney General Tom Reilly refused to take on the case, saying that Romney's case lacks "legal merit."



"Mighty" Max Weinberg visits BSC

By Joe Cutrufo

Max Weinberg, leader of The Max Weinberg 7 from *Late Night with Conan O'Brien* and long-time drummer of Bruce Springsteen's E Street Band, gave a video clip-laced lecture campus. Held in Horace Mann Auditorium, his presentation lasted almost three hours.

He showed clips from his early days with the E Street Band, as well as some comedic numbers from *Late Night*.

Max also talked about his struggle to make it in music.

"It's so hard," he said, "and you get to a point when you ask yourself, 'is this ever going to happen for me?'"

He got his break in 1974 when he tried out for a New Jersey band he found in the classified ads. "I'm glad I said yes," Weinberg said about when he was asked to join the E Street Band. "In terms of career moves, it was a good one."

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Janet Reno Spoke at SGA

By Jennifer C...

Janet Reno, former Attorney General of the United States, Janet Reno, was chosen as a speaker for SGA's Spring Lecture on Monday, March 29th. She spoke about growing up, her experience as the first female attorney general, current issues and life lessons in general to the audience of around 800.

In an interview with *The Comment*, Reno said that she thinks John Kerry will win the presidential election in 2004. When asked about the future of third party politics, Reno said that she thinks there will be the crossroads of third parties and that this election will foretell the future of third party politics. She also noted that she thinks and hopes that she will see a female president of this country in her lifetime.

Being the first woman attorney general was a great honor for Janet Reno. "It is the greatest honor," Reno said, "to use the law the right way." Many women, both young and old, have approached Reno and told her that she was a role model for them, which to Reno is "touching." Talking about homeland security, Reno said "it is important to focus on national security, but we can protect the nation while still upholding our Constitutional rights." She continued, "There is a problem with the current administration's open-ended declaration of war" because we run the risk of losing the freedoms that we love about our country.

When asked what she missed most about her position, she said that she "missed the people, both in her court and political appointees." She "was proud to work with them." Since she left her position in 2001 when George W. Bush was sworn into office, she has been teaching at Cornell University Law School, her alma mater, and at the University of Miami's Center for Ethics. In the future she hopes to start writing about her experiences and things she has learned throughout her life.

Michael Cross, Vice President of SGA, introduced Janet Reno as "a woman who dared to make a difference." Reno started her lecture talking about Will Ferrell's rendering of her on *Saturday Night Live*. "It is important that we laugh at ourselves and laugh together" Reno said. "Public service," Reno explained, "is all about touching lives of others and giving them a chance." Her speech was very inspirational, telling the audience "you can do anything you really want to if you really want to and if it's the right thing to do." She encouraged the audience to fight for what they believe in, and never give up fighting what they believe to be wrong if they care.



"Mighty Max," as Springsteen called him, left music in 1989 when Bruce broke up the band. He decided to finish college in order to prepare for a career in law.

"All I had was an advanced degree in Bruce Springsteen music," he said, "and the market for used drummers was slim."

Although (after a weak performance on his LSATS) he found he was a much better drummer than he was a student, he got into Cordoza School of Law in New York, but withdrew soon after. "I stand before you tonight a law school dropout," said Weinberg.

After a gig with a small mail-order record label, he decided to get back into music. He filled in on drums with the 10,000 Maniacs on a promotion tour and even landed a job with a Broadway production of The Who's "Tommy."

Max never played on Broadway though. Shortly after securing the position he met Conan O'Brien on a corner in New York City. "The rest is TV history," he said.

COMMENT

Year in Review

Coach Peter Mazzaferro wins number two hundred

By John White

Head Football Coach Peter Mazzaferro has been the backbone of the Bridgewater State College football program for the past 35 years. This past Saturday at Swenson Field, he accomplished a feat that has never been done in New England Division III football before; he won his 200th career game.

Mazzaferro began his coaching career at Waynesburg College in 1959. He spent four years there before moving to Curry College in 1963. Mazzaferro came to BSC as an assistant to former coach Ed Swenson in 1966 and took over the head coaching duties in 1968, and the rest is history.

Mazzaferro has witnessed many great teams over the years. The Bears' have won or shared the New England Football Conference Championship in 1968, 1969, 1989, 1992, 1997, 1999 and 2000 under Coach Mazzaferro. He recalls 1989 and 1999 as the two most special years he's had at BSC. In '89, the Bears went 9-0 and won the NEFC championship over Lowell in front of 7,500 people at Swenson Field. In 1999, the team went 10-0 and was able to host an NCAA playoff game. They lost an exciting game 43-38 in front of 4,000 people at Swenson Field. Many standout players have come to BSC to play under Coach Mazzaferro. He mentioned many, including Rip Charters, a quarterback and kicker from 1987-89. He is currently third in New England in scoring and his jersey is in the New England Hall of Fame. Danny Marr was the quarterback in that fabulous 1999 season. He had 27 touchdowns and ran for 15. Andy Macaione played for the coach from 1997-2000. In that time span he recorded 120 receptions for 2,647 yards and 37 touchdowns. He went on to play Arena Football. It is clear that Coach Mazzaferro never forgets a name. He said many of the players have gone on to become coaches, doctors, lawyers, and school administrators.

Coach Mazzaferro is proud of the football program at Bridgewater State.

"BSC offers team spirit and teamwork," said Mazzaferro. "Everyone doesn't touch the football, but it's more of a unified team sport."

He also recognizes the prominent alumni program.

"We have such a great football alumni group," says Mazzaferro. "We have over a 100 (people) come back for the dinner and golf banquet."

Mazzaferro looked up to his high school football coach as many others do. He played football in high school and college. His desire was always to become a coach, but had a passion for journalism as well. He was a sports writer for his college paper for four years, writing weekly football columns. He taught English for two years in New York before starting his legendary football coaching career.

It was a big change for Mazzaferro coming to BSC. At Waynesburg College, players were on scholarship, football was their job. Mazzaferro recalls his first year at BSC, "One of the players came up to me and said 'Coach, I won't be able to make it to one of the games this year, my sister is getting married.' I couldn't believe it." Mazzaferro has made the adjustment though, and has turned BSC into a great football college.

In 1999, Mazzaferro received the highest coaching honor in New England when he was named the New England Football Writer's Coach of the Year for Division II-III. In 1996, he was awarded the George C. Carens Awards for outstanding contributions for college football in New England. In 1994, Mazzaferro was inducted as a member of the Bridgewater State College Athletic Hall of Fame.

Although BSC is mainly a commuter college, Mazzaferro believes sports teams unify the group. "That's what college football is all about," said Mazzaferro. "It involves athletes, alumni, students, faculty and commuters."

He believes it's not so much personality that makes a good coach, but hard work, dedication and sacrifice, all traits that Coach Peter Mazzaferro has plenty of.

A brief history of the Red Sox and Yankees

By John Walsh

Red Sox and Yankees are born in New York. It can be debated that these two teams are a part of the greatest rivalry in sports. With all due respect to other great sports rivalries, Dodgers and Giants, Celtics and Pistons, and on the college level, Michigan and Ohio State, Duke and North Carolina, they are not even close to this one, *this one*. When the Yankees play Boston, it might as well be a holiday in the Northeast. People take the day off, take the weekend off. They are willing to drive 200 miles north or south to pop out overnight at Fenway to witness a game first-hand. They plan their entire summer around these games. The park is electric, with every out, every strike, chants can be heard, whether it's "Let's go Sox!" or "19-18." The outcome of the series will determine whether a fan will have a great week or a miserable one. It will give one side ultimate bragging rights, which team is better, which city is better. It's all just for a moment.

The rivalry began in on May 7, 1903. Boston won the first game 6 to 2. In that year, Boston was named the *Red Sox* and New York the Highlanders. Since then, Boston and New York have played a total of 1,939 games. The Red Sox have won 879 games to the Yankees 1,060.

The Yankees are the team that the rest of the league looks up to. Twenty six world championships, compared to Boston's measly five, the last of course coming all the way back in...you know what -- I won't go there -- we all know.

The next chapter in this historic rivalry will take place throughout this week in the American League Championship Series. The stakes could be no higher. The winner of this best-of-seven series will move on to play in the World Series, not to mention bragging rights for the winter. Memories will be made.

Why will memories surely be made? Because it is impossible for the Red Sox and Yankees to play a meaningless series. Let's take a look back at some of the many classics.

In 1978, the Yankees came in Fenway Park to play the Red Sox in a one-game playoff to determine who would move on and who would head home. The Red Sox had the lead 2 to 0. Seven outs were all that were needed to be captured. But one swing of the bat by Bucky "Bleepin" Dent changed all that. A three-run-homerun over the 37 foot, 2 inch, left-field wall known as "The Green Monster," reminded Red Sox fans that the Yankees were the kings, and were not ready to be dethroned.

1999 was an up-and-down year for Red Sox against their foe. During the regular season, Pedro Martinez pitched an absolute gem at Yankee Stadium, giving up a mere one hit all game while striking out 17. Pedro was dominant, electrifying, and carried the team on his back all the way to the American League Championship Series against the men in pinstripes.

Unfortunately, Boston did not fare well against a straight-up better Yankee team. They lost the series 4 games to 1. The one highlight taken from it was Game 3, in which the Red Sox crushed Roger Clemens in a 13-1 rout over the Yankees.

As many of us students can remember, 2000 held a memorable game for the Red Sox. Who could forget what ESPN dubbed "an instant classic" when Boston defeated New York 2 to 0 at Yankee Stadium on May 28th. It was a classic pitching dual between the Red Sox's former ace Roger Clemens, and present ace, Pedro Martinez. Both pitchers were fantastic, and it wasn't until the top of the ninth inning, with two outs, that a scoreless tie was broken, thanks to Trot Nixon, who belted a Clemens's fastball in the right field seats with a man on. The list could go on and on and on.

So here we go, Boston and New York, together again, the way it should be. Boston fans want it, New York fans want it. Yanks fans will be shouting "foget about it" to hopeful Red Sox fans. Boston fans will be crowded along Landsdowne Street in Boston, "wicked excited" that this year, 2003, may finally be the year the Red Sox surpass the Yankees, the year that the curse is broken, the year that finally, finally, Red Sox fans can celebrate a World Series championship.

Thank you

"The writing of a yearbook is like the creation of a novel. It needs a plot, a climax, and an ending. The plot is the theme of the yearbook, the climax is made up of all the special events, and the ending is graduation. The yearbook is a composite talent- it takes layouts, copy, pictures, advertisements, sales as well as typing and checking and rechecking. To decide what is important enough to be remembered, to make the moments of sadness and joy timeless and relivable in later times, is the job of the yearbook staff." Anonymous

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A letter from the Editor

Always remember what brought you here today. Moving in freshman year with the 700 or so Freshman at the infamous "Hill." I'm sure you all have your horrid stories from that year. Wearing shower shoes wherever you went in the building, trying to get to class all the way on the other side of the campus in less than ten minutes, because when you were making your schedule, you had no idea where any of the buildings were. Remember all the late night talks with your friends, all the delivery orders you had. Remember that first college final you had, and how you felt afterwards. Remember about all the parking situations that has gone on through the last four years. There is so many other different situations that I'm sure run through your mind as your college career is coming to a close.

Now look ahead. You've taken your last final exam, no more parking problems (well at school anyways). You're planning your life now, and plan well, and if things don't work out to what you would like, you have every right to change your way, and go another direction. You have your friends and family there to support you in anything you want to do. Just look on how you've accomplished college! You've made progress in what you want to do with your life, just keep continuing on, and you'll accomplish anything. No dream is too small to look for. If you have the courage to get this far, you surely have enough for the next step! You are now at the end of one of many journeys, and another gate is now opening to embark on. I hope the success you have today brings tomorrow's achievements.

Congratulations to all Seniors!

Remember those first friends you shared your fears with, who soon became acquaintances, those neighbors and classmates, who ended up becoming your closest friends.

Remember those bonding nights, when you never felt closer to a certain person, and that closeness creates ties that never die.

Remember the craziness of the dorm, getting sudden bursts of energy, and looking for people to harass.

Remember pulling all nighters, and never thinking they were as bad as they sounded until you actually lived through one.

Remember how over breaks you had the chance to step back and really see the friends you made and the memories shared, and you were satisfied.

Remember the times, never forget them, even the little ones can hold the greatest meaning.

Remember to never lose touch with those friends you have made here at college, because you have all changed and grown enormously together, and that is something very sacred to be shared.

Remember you are only here for a short while, the time flies before you realize it, so make it last, make it memorable, make it the best memories that you can carry with you for the rest of your days.

Remember this doesn't last forever, so never let a day go by without living it to the fullest.

Remember to never let a day go by without a laugh.

Remember to love the ones you love, life isn't forever.

Remember the laughs; let them echo in the back of your mind.

Remember to love your friends, whether they come, go, love you or hurt you, never let anyone go.

And always remember, when you leave here after four years you are leaving with much more that you walked in here with.

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"Don't be dismayed at goodbyes. A farewell is before you can meet again. And meeting again after a moment or a lifetime is certain for those who are friends." Richard Bach



*"As we go on
We remember
All the times we
Had together
And as our lives change
Come whatever
We will still be
Friends Forever"*



